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## DURBIN AND BURKHARDT IN WRANGLE

Civil Service Commissioner Continues Probe on Question List

MAYOR DEMANDS STATEMENT

Attorney May Ask Chief Executive to Take Hand

Investigation of the origin of a list of questions and answers similar to those which have been used in the past in civil service examinations for the police department found in the office of the chief of police, was continued Friday by Francis W. Durbin, member of the commission.

Durbin announced his intention of going to the bottom of the affair and learning if the questions were handed out for the purpose of allowing any particular candidate to "huck up" and pass with a perfect grade.

The questions on the list found at the police station were pronounced by Durbin to be identical with those given in examinations. The list was discovered in a desk used by Captain Morton F. Dawson, during his brief tenure as police head.

LIGHT ON INCIDENT

Dawson was testifying before the grand jury Friday, as was Fred W. Zeis, the only member of the commission who has not positively denied handling the list out.

The list according to Dawson, was written out by Sergeant George Strick and dictated by Attorney W. W. Sutton.

It was written, he stated, for the benefit of a number of officers on the force who were to be examined for sergeant during the summer. Sutton admitted Friday that he had given out a list of general questions and answers, for some of the officers to study. He could not state positively whether it is the list found at the station.

"I was asked to give them some information and answers," explained Sutton. "Just common knowledge about courts, law. One question was what is a warrant; another was an affidavit."

DEBEN-BURKHARDT CLASH

Friction between Mayor Burkhardt and Commissioner Durbin developed late Thursday when the city executive called Durbin on the telephone and demanded to know if he was present at the police station as a member of the civil service commission, at roll call Wednesday.

Durbin is said to have told Mayor Burkhardt that he would visit the station whenever he so desires.

"I am protecting the city's interests," the mayor is said to have told the commissioner.

Later in the day Burkhardt is alleged to have sought to learn from other sources who had been present at roll call Wednesday, and if Durbin visited headquarters with Chief Roush.

Arguments between the two became spirited when Burkhardt sought to learn if Durbin had been at the station as an official or on private business, Durbin said.

"Are you trying to interrogate me?" Durbin demanded.

The mayor is also said to have sought to learn if Durbin was acting as counsel for Roush.

Durbin endeavored to get an interview with Mayor Burkhardt Friday with the intention, he said, of learning if he is required to ask Burkhardt's permission to visit the station.

OTHERS VISIT STATION

He also announced his intention of calling attention of Mayor Burkhardt to alleged visits to the police station by other members of the commission.

"If my visits to headquarters warrant investigation," he said, "I want him to interrogate other members as to their business there."

Mayor Burkhardt explained his object in questioning Durbin was plain. "If there was member of the commission, he would be asked for an explanation," the chief executive said.

Durbin said he went to the station to consult Willis Kipker, a client.

"There was an attorney and client," he declared. "It's nobody's affair when I go to the police station or who I see there."

Durbin called on Burkhardt prior to noon, and in a conference the matter was adjusted to the satisfaction of both men.

## BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU IS PLANNED

Efforts of the Lima Merchants' association to create a Better Business bureau to work in conjunction with the present system, are nearing maturity, according to information Friday.

Representatives of the Ft. Wayne Better Business bureau will come to Lima Thursday evening for a general discussion with the Lima Merchants' association board of directors, to outline the plan in vogue in the Indiana city. Several members of the Better Business association at Columbus are expected to attend the meeting.

The conference is expected to develop some stable plan whereby the Lima Merchants' association will incorporate the principles of truthful advertising and the first step toward organization of a Better Business bureau in Lima, it was said Thursday.

# KERSHAW NOT MURDERED ON ORDER FROM DOPE RING

SHE WEDS TWICE IN ONE MONTH!



MRS. LESLIE A. LIND

CHICAGO — Married twice the same month!

But to the same husband! That's the experience of Mrs. Leslie A. Lind, 20 social leader of Chicago's younger set.

"The second ceremony was prompted by conscience," says the double bride.

"You see, Leslie and I eloped and were married by a justice of the peace. That lacked solemnity."

"And anyhow I like the thrill of being a bride. So we decided to do it all over again only this time in a church."

"Marriages made to order," as Mrs. Lind styles the kind performed in law offices, are ill omened starts in matrimony, she says.

"But a church lends lasting respect for the union of both man and woman."

## EX-ARMY SURGEON PUT TO DEATH

Electrocuted at Richmond, Va., For Murder of Wife

RICHMOND, Va. — (By Associated Press) — Dr. Wilmer Amos Hadley, former army surgeon and ranchman, was put to death in the electric chair in the state penitentiary early today for the murder of his wife, Mrs. Sue Hadley, in November, 1918.

Prison attendants declare Hadley went to his death calmly and stoically.

Dr. Hadley made no statement before death further than to say he had made his peace with God and was prepared for the end.

SENSATIONAL CASE

The execution closed one of the most sensational murder cases in the criminal history of Richmond and recalled the case a few years ago of Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., to which it was similar in many respects.

Mrs. Hadley's body was found in the James river near Richmond, on December 30, 1918, by a negro trapper and was identified by the woman's sister several weeks later. A search for Dr. Hadley was begun by local authorities which carried them through many states and parts of Canada and he finally was apprehended on a ranch in New Mexico.

CONFESSION MADE

At the time of his arrest he was in disguise and under an assumed name. He was taken to Denver, Colorado, where, according to the Henrico authorities, he made a written confession that he had killed his wife.

This confession was used against him in his trial.

In the confession he declared he also shot a mysterious "Dr. Griffin," a fellow surgeon in the army, but an investigation proved this to be unfounded which Hadley finally admitted.

From the time of his arrest last August until his death today, Dr. Hadley maintained a taciturn calmness and indifference.

## 16 DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

AND ONLY 14 MORE SHOPPING DAYS

Illustration of a person shopping.

## ISLAND DEFENSES MAY BE HALTED

Fortification Question Before Conference For First Time

EARLY AGREEMENT EXPECTED

Far Eastern Committee Adjourns Till Tomorrow

WASHINGTON — (By Associated Press) — The rapidly moving arms conference had reached a point of comparative pause today, with the Far Eastern committee in adjournment until tomorrow and the next important step in the negotiations on naval ratio and the proposed four power treaty apparently waiting on a definite statement of the attitude of the Japanese government. Meas-

while the Japanese and Chinese delegations held another session today of their separate conference on the Shantung question, discussion of the restoration to China of the public properties in the Japanese leasehold there having been continued yesterday without final disposition.

FORTIFICATION QUESTION

As a major feature in the prospective agreements the question of limitation of fortifications and naval bases in the Pacific islands has been brought into prominence for the first time today. Although the subject has not advanced to the stage of formal exchanges, the American delegates have given assurances to the Japanese that it would be considered as a natural corollary of the naval reduction plan and indications point to an ultimate agreement on the principle of abandoning further development of island defenses.

Press reports that the Japanese government had decided to accept the four power treaty plan for preserving peace in the Pacific, conditional on an agreement on the naval ratio and further application of the American "four points" to China, were accepted here as further embracing interdependence of the negotiations of those problems and as supporting the opinion that they would be advanced simultaneously to the point of a general understanding on all.

Separate treaties and agreements then would remain to be drawn up to cover them.

RESPONSES AWAITED

Definite word was awaited from the French government today, as well as from Tokyo as to acceptance of the principle of the proposed four power treaty. An early favorable response from France was looked for in reply to the recommendation of its delegates that their government accept a place in the new arrangement. The British government is understood to have already accepted the proposal in principle and the American delegates have proceeded to the point of indicating a willingness to discuss details.

## BANDIT CAPTURED

Policeman Foils Robbery of Bank At Cincinnati

CINCINNATI — (By Associated Press) — A man giving the name of William Rapp of this city, entered the First National Bank here this forenoon, walked up to the bank's private watchman, Harry Rusche, thrust a revolver against the policeman and said: "Hands up! Open that cage," pointing to a compartment in which was stationed an assistant cashier. The watchman, instead of raising his hands, knocked the revolver from the robber's hand, then seized him. There was a short but fierce struggle that ended when one or two other employees of the bank reached the spot and assisted the watchman.

The police say that Rapp, after his arrest, confessed to having held up a Central-av grocery store yesterday, obtaining about \$25.

Rapp, according to the police, said he was out of work and desperate.

## WINTER NOW HERE; AWNINGS DISAPPEAR

Winter has officially arrived in Lima.

Each year the coming of the winter king may be determined by the removal of the awnings from the Allen-court house. They are usually the last of summer to disappear.

William Foth, custodian of the county building, began the removal of the awnings Friday. Much cold weather may now be expected.

## JURY FAILS ON VERDICT IN YOUNGSTOWN CASE

YOUNGSTOWN — The jury in the case of Rodney Hostler, on trial for first degree murder in connection with the killing of Isadore Wozniak at an Arkansas prison farm last September, was discharged today. The jury had been out since yesterday afternoon. Corridor gossip said the jurors stood 2 to 4 for conviction.

## NOVELIST TO WED HIS IDEAL



MISS KATHLEEN GEIPEL

LONDON — (Special) — "Just like the heroine of a W. L. George novel. As beautiful, as witty, as attractive, as modern!"

Folks used to say that about Miss Kathleen Geipel. W. L. George heard about it. He met her.

Now, in truth, she'll be the heroine of a W. L. George romance. For the novelist will marry her this month!

And they'll sail for America Dec. 21 and spend their honeymoon there.

## BANDIT DISARMS GUARDS, ESCAPES FROM DEATH CELL

Doomed Man Takes Six Others From Arkansas Penitentiary

LOCKS UP WIFE OF WARDEN

Makes Getaway After Two Gun Battles Outside

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — (By United Press) — Tom Slaughter, notorious bandit of the southwest, staged one of the most daring and spectacular prison breaks in southwestern criminal history early today when he escaped from the death cell of the state penitentiary here.

Following his escape with six other convicts Slaughter engaged in a gun battle with officers at Benton and Lonsdale and after eluding capture is believed enroute to his old haunts in Texas and Oklahoma.

Slaughter spent five hours wandering around inside the prison walls before making his final dash to liberty.

WOMEN LOCKED UP

Fearing illness Slaughter summoned a guard and asked for a blanket. The guard opening the door and advancing to the bandit's cot was covered by a gun which friends had smuggled to the prisoner.

Slaughter disarmed the guard and forced him to lead the way to the warden's office where he "covered" three guards and forced them to lay down on the floor while he disarmed them.

Next he went to the hospital where he forced a nurse to lead him to the quarters of the wife and daughter of the warden. These women he locked in the death cell.

He then threw open the lock which secured the doors of the cells and told the convicts that all who wished to accompany him could do so. Six stated their desire to attempt the escape. The others refused.

Among those who refused were six negroes under death sentence for participation in the Elaine, Ark., riots some time ago. Slaughter then locked the doors on the convicts who refused to accompany him.

Proceeding to the jail-yard, he took the tires from all automobiles in the inclosure except the one in which he planned to escape. He went to the storehouse and he, with six companions outfitted in civilian clothes.

Swinging open the great gates of the prison, Slaughter with his companions, made their escape about 2:30 a. m.—five hours from the time he gained his freedom from the death cell.

No one was injured in the spectacular escape.

Slaughter was under sentence of death for the murder of a trusty at an Arkansas prison farm last September. The date of the execution was set for December 15, but an appeal was pending which would have gained for him a stay.

## BABY IS SHOT IN STRIKE BATTLE

Rioting in Walkout of Packing Employees Spreads

CHICAGO — (By Associated Press) — Extra precautions to prevent recurrence of disorders were taken by authorities in several of the large packing centers of the middle west today, following the spread of rioting here by strike sympathizers to other towns. The first violence of the strike, here and at St. Paul, was followed by outbreaks yesterday in East St. Louis and Omaha.

Seven women were among 15 arrested in East St. Louis for participation in demonstrations and a fifteen-month-old baby, was wounded when a volley of shots was fired into the house of a packing house employee in Omaha. Scores of extra police were placed in the trouble zone at Omaha.

FRESH OUTBREAK

The outbreak here, quelled Wednesday night, broke out afresh last night, after a comparatively quiet day and police stated 150 persons were injured, including one man shot and a score seriously injured.

An injunction against the meat cutters' union was ordered here by Judge Dennis E. Sullivan on petition of twenty packers, including Swift and Company and nineteen of the smaller plants. This injunction ordered that picketing cease but, according to the authorities, it was disregarded by the strikers and strike sympathizers.

Moonshine liquor was said to be a big factor in the fight here. Twenty prohibition enforcement officers are working in the area about the stock yards, hunting for moonshine stills. In one house a large still was found and a barrel of liquor emptied into the gutter.

Snipers have made their appearance in the yards district here and added to the difficulty of controlling the mobs.

Morris and Company issued a statement last night that production in that plant is at normal and they are filling all vacancies from their employment offices.

Dennis Lane, secretary of the meat cutters' union, issued a statement at the same time, saying that the strike is "100 per cent effective" and that 50,000 men are out in the different packing centers.

RAIL HEADS MEET

NEW YORK — Action which the eastern railroads will take in asking wage reductions from their employees was being determined today at a conference of managers and supervisory officials of lines operating north of the Ohio river and east of Mississippi. The dates on which the conferences will be held were expected to be announced after the meeting.

Investigation by The Lima News Uncovers Evidence Showing He Was Not Connected With Conspiracy, as Charged In Recent Statements

Shifting of Blame Believed to be Motive for Conflicting Stories Following Slaying of Lima War Hero In Box Car

Joseph Scott Kershaw was not slain on an order from a "dope ring."

The name of one of Lima's foremost war heroes who met death at the hands of an assassin a month ago will not be besmirched by the stigma society places on the peddler of this curse.

The Lima News has conducted an investigation on its own account and is prepared to make these statements now. They are backed by proof of the most positive character and from sources unquestionably authentic.

Long before the legal battle which is to come over the slaying of Kershaw takes place, the proof will have become public. Then the public will have the opportunity of judging for itself whether "Scotty" Kershaw was a "dope" peddler.

It is certain that this proof will show that he was not connected with any existing dope ring in this locality.

## RELATIVES OF DEAD MAN NEVER BELIEVED HE WAS IMPLICATED

Kershaw's family—his father, brothers and sisters and his girl-widow—have never believed he was implicated in the drug business.

"We were hungry days before he was killed," said the young widow. "We had only a sandwich apiece for three days before he was murdered. If he had been in the drug business, he certainly would have had money enough to buy food," she said when the charge was made several days ago that he was killed on an order from higher-ups in the ring. She also said her husband had never been away from home at night during their married life of a year.

"I appreciate what you have done," said P. A. Kershaw Friday, when informed by The News that proof existed that his son was not connected with a ring. "Scotty" never had any money. The drug game is on a cash basis. He did not have enough cash to handle it even if he had wanted to. He would not have been the man picked by a ring to do its work, for he could not have swung the financial end," he added.

## NIERENGARTEN SAYS MAN WAS SHOT BY AGENT OF CONSPIRACY

Harold Nierengarten is credited with the statement a short time ago that he did not shoot Kershaw while they were riding in the B. & O. box car between Lima and Wapakoneta. He is alleged to have said that "Scotty" was killed by a representative of a ring sent out from Toledo to do the work.

This statement has not been given much credence and the proof to come out later undoubtedly will prove that there is no foundation for the statement.

It is believed as a result of the investigation of The News that the various conflicting statements are being issued for a purpose—that of throwing off suspicion where guilt actually exists. It is expected that this will be shown publicly when the matter is finally cleared up.

The discovery of a large shipment of drugs to this city at approximately the time Kershaw was killed is believed to have offered an excuse for the statements and attempt to place blame on a dead man, who could not defend himself.

## ROBBERY THEORY FOR KILLING OF KERSHAW STILL REMAINS

The theory of robbery, with the elimination of the drug theory, now is taken to be foremost. It is known that young Kershaw received a sum of money from his father shortly before he met death, but had only a few cents in his pockets when killed.

It is probable that this will be the motive on which the prosecution will act when the case comes to trial.

## 3 HINTS FOR 1,600 MEN FREED SHOPPERS

To learn the names of the stores having the articles described in this column, call The Lima News shopping column editor. Simply mention the date on which the article was printed and its number in the column. Prices are subject to change.

1 Handsome solid mahogany candle sticks with glass tops make splendid and useful gifts. They may be had for \$2.98 a pair.

2 Bottles of rose leaves prettily decorated with silver tulle may be had for \$1.50, \$2.50 and up.

3 Handpainted sewing baskets are very popular this year. They are large and roomy and make practical gifts. Some very nice ones sell for \$4.95.

## DEER AMONG CATTLE

TROY — Grazing with cattle on the Hayner farms near here for the past ten days a big doe is making itself quite at home according to reports of John Urlick manager of the farms. Urlick says the deer is so tame that he is able to approach within 20 feet of it.

## Irish Prisoners Released Under Amnesty Proclamation

BELFAST — (By Associated Press) — The 1,600 interned men in the Ballykinler camp were released today under the amnesty proclamation and left for their homes amid scenes of enthusiasm.

Soldiers' songs were freely chorused at the railway station and the car windows of the trains bearing away the released men were ablaze with the Sinn Fein colors.

Diverse opinions were expressed among the men on the new turn of the Irish situation given by Eamon DeValera's statement in opposition to the treaty. The republican leader had many supporters, some of whom had fought with him in the Dublin rebellion, who declared their implicit confidence in him, while others expressed themselves strongly for the agreement.

In Belfast an opinion widely expressed is that the liberation of the interned men at this juncture will react unfavorably on the treaty's chances.



## CONFEREES WILL UPROOT SNAGS

Obstacles Won't Hinder Arms Parley, Bryan Says

### SURPASSES EXPECTATIONS

Declares President Harding's Optimism Justified

(BY WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN) WASHINGTON.—President Harding's optimism in regard to the results of the conference is justified. He said in a recent address that the negotiations promised to "succeed beyond our fondest hopes."

The delegates can do nothing themselves. They speak for the government which they represent and the governments must act with caution because they speak for the people, and the people exercise an increasing influence over their government.

The conference is proceeding as fast as could be expected. It has already made unexpected progress; the results achieved are beyond the anticipations of the most sanguine. Everything has proceeded without a hitch.

Can't Settle All. The conference cannot settle all problems—some are not yet ripe for settlement, but the momentum is increasing and will in time overcome all obstacles. It is reported that the Japanese government agrees to the "four-power" understanding which seems likely to be substituted for the Anglo-Japanese alliance.

This agreement contemplates a period of discussion before war and that in itself is sufficient to greatly decrease the chances of international trouble in the Pacific.

Japan did not enter into a treaty with the United States for the investigation of all disputes before resort to war. She was one of the big nations that did not, but this was doubtless due to the dispute over the California land laws.

ALLIANCE MADE HARMLESS. In ratifying the Versailles treaty which contained the covenant of the League of Nations, Japan endorsed the 30-treaty plan. Great Britain and France have endorsed the plan both in treaties with the United States and in the League of Nations.

The much-discussed Anglo-Japanese alliance was made harmless by the treaty between the United States and Great Britain signed on September 16, 1914, which gave a year's time for investigation before resort to war.

The agreement covering the islands in the Pacific will make easier to establish a tribunal in which all the nations will join, providing machinery for the investigation of all disputes before the contracting nations can use violence. It is not strange that nations so well supplied for machinery for war should have waited so long to provide machinery for peace? (Copyright, 1921.)

## RETURNS TO LIMA

Rev. J. I. Williams to Again be St. Rose Assistant

Rev. Father J. I. Williams, former assistant pastor at St. Rose Catholic church, has been ordered returned to this parish. He will arrive Saturday, prepared to assume his duties here.

The Rev. Father Williams has been for the past two months stationed at Van Wert, where he was pastor of St. Mary's Catholic church. Announcement of the return of Rev. Williams was made by Monsignor A. E. Manning, pastor of St. Rose church Friday. The assistant priest who has been stationed at St. Rose became ill some weeks ago and returned to his home. Upon Monsignor Manning and the Rev. Father William A. Tobin, assistant, has devolved the duties of the large parish up to the re-appointment of Father Williams.

## NEW SWINDLE PLAN FAILS AT ST. MARYS

ST. MARYS.—A new play adopted by forgers came near costing Pills Lewis, landlord of the Hotel Fountain here, \$342. Lewis was summoned to the telephone and was informed that the other party on the line was H. G. McClain, of the St. Marys Banking & Trust company. "I have a friend here from Dayton who wishes to have a check cashed. Our vault is closed; would you mind cashing it?" the supposed McClain asked.

Lewis gave assurance that he would be glad to do so. A little later a smooth looking stranger called at the hotel and presented a check for \$342. Lewis did not have that amount of money at hand and was asked by the stranger if he could get it for him elsewhere.

When Lewis went to the phone and called for McClain, the stranger disappeared. Later, McClain disclaimed knowledge of such an incident.

## MAYOR, AUDITOR IN GRAND JURY QUIZ

Thirteen witnesses were called to testify before the Allen-co grand jury Friday. Among this number were Morton F. Dawson, E. O. Sellers, city auditor; Mayor P. A. Burkhardt and Fred W. Zeitz.

Eugene T. Lippincott, prosecuting attorney, said the work of the grand jury will continue thru Friday and may not be completed until Saturday. Although delays in getting started Monday, with the exception of Thursday the body has been in session all week.

NATURALIZATION DATEN SET. W. T. Shockey, naturalization examiner, Cleveland, has set the dates for naturalization hearings in 1922 for April 4, July 10 and December 4.

AMBULANCE REMOVALS. WILLIAMS AND DAVIS: Miss Hosson, 701 N. Baxter-st. to St. Rita's hospital.

## ROGERS HEADS K. P. LODGE FOURTH TIME

For the fourth time L. H. Rogers has been elected chancellor commander of Lima Lodge No. 91, Knights of Pythias, which has a membership of nearly 500 and recently purchased paraphernalia of the value of \$5,200.

Other officers are: J. K. Yant, V. C.; Morris Connor, prelate; A. M. Rogers, inner guard; William McGee, outer guard; Willis Brown, M. of W.; S. M. Churchill, M. of E.; F. J. Hammer, M. of F.; J. W. Tucker, K. of R. and S.; J. O. Shine, assistant K. of R. and S.

These new officers will be installed at a meeting to be held on the first Wednesday in January.

RETURN FROM CONFERENCE. Rev. L. R. Mitchell, pastor of the Second Baptist church; Rev. William McGee, Lima, pastor of the Baptist church at Kenton, and Rev. Leroy McGee, pastor of the Fourth-st Baptist church, Lima, returned Friday from Cleveland, where they attended a conference of leaders of the colored church in the north, extending from California to Maine and as far as Kentucky, Pennsylvania and Kansas.

DEDICATE ARMOY. ST. MARYS.—There will be no formal dedication of the new armory here until July it has been decided. An informal affair will take place December 22, with open house.

## RUBBER THIEVES LOOT JUNK YARD; LOSS \$100

Thieves entered the junk yard owned by Harry Bloom, S. Central-av, near Kibby-st Thursday night, the proprietor reported to the police, and made off with 1,000 pounds of old tires and rubber and a large quantity of rags and junk.

Police have no trace of the intruders, but believe that the rubber was stolen for resale to other yards. A truck appeared to have been used in carting away the loot.

The loss will amount to about \$100.

## VERDICT IS IRREGULAR, BEELER-APPEAL CHARGE

That the jury in the case of Alie Beeler, convicted of embezzlement of more than \$3,000 of the school funds of Shawnee-twp, did not fully comprehend the case and that it brought in an irregular verdict, counsel for Beeler charges in a motion for a new trial, filed late Thursday.

Seven reasons are assigned in the motion why another trial should be given Beeler.

WILD GEESSE PLENTIFUL. ST. MARYS.—Old hunters state there are probably more wild geese on the reservoir here at present than at any time in recent years. Big kills are being reported. Ducks are scarce.

## E. W. STUMPP

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25 Pounds Sugar	\$1.40
10 pounds Sugar	56c
1 Peck Fancy White Potatoes	35c
2 1/2 Bu. Bag Potatoes	\$3.25

Large can Hominy	10c	4 lbs. Farm House Coffee	\$1.00
Can Tomatoes	10c	5 lbs. Bulk Coffee	\$1.00
Can Red Beans	10c	2 lbs. Crackers	25c
Large can Milk	10c	6 lbs. Cracked Hominy	25c
2 cans Kidney Beans	25c	5 lbs. Navy Beans	30c
Large can Peaches	25c	2 lbs. Salted Peanuts	25c
Can Walrus Salmon	30c	2 pkgs. any kind Tobacco	25c
Large can White Cherries	35c	1 loaf any kind Bread	10c
5 lb. pail Karo Syrup	23c	1 lb. Cream Cheese	28c
10 lb. pail Karo Syrup	50c	Small Corn Flakes	10c
1 gal. Kraut	55c	All Jello	10c
1 gal. Raspberries	\$1.25	2 pkgs. Gelatine	25c
1 gal. Blackberries	\$1.25	Rolls Oats, box	10c
1 gal. Apples	75c	3 bars Ivory Soap	23c
1 large can Pineapple	35c	3 Palmolive	25c
1 box Blue Ribbon Peaches	14c	2 bars P. G. Soap	11c
2 lbs. Prunes	25c	6 bars Laundry Soap	25c
1 can Pears	25c	5 boxes Washing Powder	25c
1 lb. Old Reliable Coffee	30c	1 box Cleaner	5c

1 lb. Lard	10c
50 lb. can Lard	\$4.70
5 lbs. Bacon	\$1.00
All Beef Steak, lb.	22c
Pork Chops	18c and 20c
Fresh Side	14c and 15c
Beef Boil	10c
Beef Roast	15c to 18c
Regular Hams	19c

F-L-O-U-R	
24 1/2 lb. sack Gold Medal Flour	\$1.15
24 1/2 lb. sack Silver Star Flour	85c
24 1/2 lb. sack Pride of Lima	85c

SOAP AT COST	
7 bars Classic Soap	—
2 cakes Wool Toilet Soap	—
1 can Sunbrite Cleanser	—
10 pkgs. for wholesale cost	59c

Don't Buy Your Christmas Trees 'Til You See us Next Week

## DYSINGER'S

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10 lbs. Sugar	50c	Home Made Mince Meat, lb.	20c
5 cans Corn	50c	2 lbs. Good Luck Oleo	53c
2 lbs. Pork Chops	36c	2 bottles Ketchup	25c
5 lbs. Rolled Oats	25c	3 Macaroni or Spaghetti	25c
1 peck Potatoes	35c	3 lb. sack Corn Meal	10c
2 lbs. Bulk Cocoa	25c	1 can Pork and Beans	10c
2 lbs. G. O. Rrunes	25c	1 Pancake or Buckwheat Flour	25c
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1 lb. Bulk Coffee	25c		
2 lbs. Lean Bacon	49c		
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## INVOICE OF CITY DEMANDED

YOUNGSTOWN.—(By Associated Press) — George L. Oles, Youngstown's eccentric mayor-elect, has written from Miami, Florida, where he is having a vacation before taking office January 1, demanding a "thorough invoice of the city." The letter, made public today by City Auditor Williams, says: "Mr. Williams: "As you know I will take the office of mayor on January 1, and I want a thorough invoice of the city of Youngstown ready to be presented to me on that date. I want everything itemized detail, just as if I were going to buy the city. I want to know how much money the city of Youngstown owes, who they owe it to and when it is due. I want to know who owes the city of Youngstown. I want to know where the money is coming from to pay the bills. I want to know what stocks we have on hand, such as horse feed and supplies, gasoline in the tanks, stationery and ink and lead pencils, also the amount of coal — and to not forget to state the amount of cash in the bank. "Now the above is what I want. The question is — how much am I going to get? Kindly advise me by return mail to this city what I may expect. "Yours very truly, "GEORGE L. OLES."

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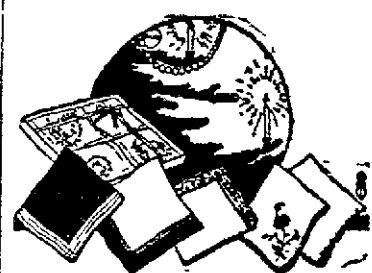
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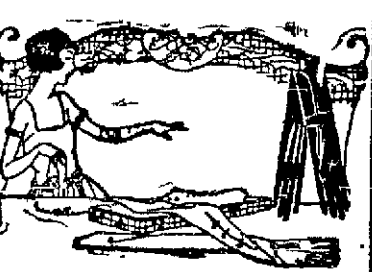
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## REALTY LOANS AT THE FRONT

Outdistance Rail Securities Held by Insurance Men

DATA GIVEN AT CONVENTION

Association Presidents Open Meeting in New York

NEW YORK — (By Associated Press) — Real estate mortgage loans have far outdistanced railroad securities as the leading investment held by life insurance companies, according to original statistics submitted to the 35th annual convention of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents here today.

Speaking on "A Decade of Life Insurance Investments," Asa S. Wing, president of the Provident Life and Trust Company of Philadelphia, stated that the real estate mortgage loans of the life companies have doubled in ten years, increasing from \$1,223,000,000 at the end of 1912 to \$2,446,000,000 on October 31 of this year.

**POLICY LOANS THIRD**  
Investments in railroad securities were \$1,353,000,000 at the end of 1911 as against \$1,793,000,000 at the end of 1920. Real estate mortgage loans form more than 72 per cent of the total assets of the companies now, while railroad securities, which formed more than 35 per cent 10 years ago have dropped to 26 per cent. Policy loans of \$320,000,000 rank third, and United States government bonds of \$772,000,000 are a close fourth, being 11.70 per cent of the assets. Other investments include state, county and municipal bonds and real estate. The total assets of the companies are in excess of \$7,300,000,000.

Referring to the huge increase in real estate mortgage loans, President Wing said much of it had gone to the farmers, but that there is now a discernible trend toward the city again to meet housing re-

quirements. On this point he said: "In order that this convention might have the latest data as to the trend of life insurance investments in mortgage loans, 47 companies holding more than 97 per cent of the assets of American companies have just made reports showing the total amount of their farm and city mortgages as of October 31, 1921. I find that \$261,900,000 has been added in the ten months from December 31, 1920, to October 31, 1921, making a total of \$2,446,000,000 real estate mortgage loans this total, \$1,247,300,000 is on farm property and \$1,221,300,000 on city property. Therefore, for the first time in many years, if not for the first time in the history of the country, the total amount of farm loans held by life insurance companies now exceeds the loans on city property, the proportion being 50.55 per cent loans on farms as against 49.45 per cent on city property.

On the increase of \$261,900,000 in mortgage loans during the first ten months of this year, \$161,500,000 is in farm mortgages and \$100,400,000 in city mortgages. The increase in farm mortgages is greater in amount than the increase in the city mortgages during these ten months, as was the case in 1920, but there is still the same tendency that I previously pointed out, namely, to increase the proportion of loans on city property as compared with farms. "This trend of investment toward the city has been strongly manifested since 1919 and can be shown most clearly by the proportion of new money now going into each class of mortgages during the last few years. Please note, during 1918 and 1919, that 91.02 per cent of all the net increase in loans was on farm property and 8.97 per cent on city property. In 1920, the proportion

of money invested in farm loans dropped 63.78 per cent, while the city loans increased to 36.22 per cent. "During the first ten months of 1921, the same tendency has continued and the proportion of farm loans has dropped to 61.59 per cent while that on city property has increased to 38.41 per cent. With justifiable pride, speaking at an insurance gathering, I can point to the investment of life insurance funds where the greatest need of the nation has called. During the last six years it was vital for this nation, for itself and the part it was playing, that our agriculture should be stimulated to highest productivity. That the companies met this condition is shown in the percentage of agricultural loans. There is at the

moment another imperative demand—that of construction catching up with deferred building in our cities. The national tendency of insurance company investments to meet imperative, justifiable demands is made equally clear in the now perceptible trend toward city loans again."

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# PRINCESS DIES BY OWN HAND

Facts in Chinese Boy Emperor's Mother's Death Revealed

## RESULT OF PLOTTER ROW

Shms Throws Light on Scheme to Restore Monarchy

(BY WM. PHILIP SIMMS)  
Written Expressly for The Lima News.

WASHINGTON—One more amazing chapter must be added to the international intrigue to put the deposed Boy Emperor back on the throne of China.

Despite powerful efforts to keep the tragedy a secret, it is now known that Princess Chun, the lad's mother, did not die a natural death as stated, but committed suicide after a scene between herself and the empress dowager.

Thru a friend in Peking I have just come in possession of the strange details.

The story throws into vivid relief the morbid atmosphere out of which certain British, Japanese and Chinese plotters would lift their candidate for the dragon throne.

PLOTTING FOR YEAR  
For more than a year these international schemers have been promoting a match between the boy emperor Hsuan Tung, now 17, and the young daughter of Hsu Shih-chang, president of China.

They believe the marriage of the Manchou "emperor" and the Chinese girl would please the southern Chi-

nese and thus remove the objection to a restoration.  
The empress dowager, according to my informant, is an ardent supporter of this match. The boy emperor's mother, the Princess Chun, was just as ardently against it. She preferred her great niece—daughter of her nephew and the boy's first cousin—instead.  
The boy emperor himself, it is said, does not want to marry either one, his choice being his own mother's young sister; in short his aunt. So with this new love triangle in full swing, the Arabian Nights atmosphere of the imperial court became surcharged with personal spites and jealousies.  
LAD BACKS MOTHER  
The "Lord of Ten Thousand Years," as the lad is called, sided with his mother and was willing to take his first cousin to wed instead of either his aunt or the daughter of President Hsu.  
The empress dowager was furious, it is said, and called the boy's mother on the carpet. The young "emperor" objected and took his mother's part.  
The row continued for three days, Prince Chun, the lad's father, falling in a faint during one of the scenes.  
On Oct. 1 the Princess Chun took opium and died.  
ANOTHER VERSION  
Another version has it that the court physician one day failed to show the empress dowager the respect she felt was her due, whereupon she called the boy emperor down. Prince and Princess Chun took their son's part and the quarrel followed.  
Whichever story is true, the Princess Chun today dies in a suicide's grave; the empress dowager is slowly recovering from illness; Prince Chun is broken over the loss of his wife and the boy emperor is in mourning for his mother.  
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**30 x 50 RAG RUGS**  
30x50 fancy woven Rag Rugs, hit and miss weave, knotted fringe ends, useful and durable.  
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Children's sleeping garments, made of fine quality flannel, sizes to 12 years.  
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"Seisnug" make pure white ribbed, warmly fleeced, high or low neck, long, short or sleeveless style, all sizes.  
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**SILK CAMISOLES**  
Women's fancy washable satin and crepe de chine Camisoles, elastic and loose top, all colors and sizes.  
**98c**

**30 x 40 CRIB BLANKETS**  
30x40 Elderdown Baby Blankets, pink or blue, pretty nursery patterns, fine soft nap.  
**79c**

**WOMEN'S BATH ROBES**  
Made of Beacon blanket cloth, finely finished in wide facing of satin ribbon, cord girdle, beautiful patterns.  
**398**

**WOMEN'S UMBRELLAS**  
Covered with excellent quality cotton taffeta, strong steel frame, newest design handles, wonderful values.  
**298**

## We Will Cash Your Christmas Checks

**HANDKERCHIEFS ALWAYS ACCEPTABLE WOMEN'S KERCHIEFS**  
Women's sheer white lawn hemstitched Kerchiefs, embroidered in floral designs, put up six in fancy box.  
**98c**

**WOMEN'S KERCHIEFS**  
White lawn, hemstitched, assorted patterns, plain or fancy embroidered, 3 in box.  
**49c**

**WOMEN'S KERCHIEFS**  
Hemstitched, embroidered in white, 3 in box.  
**29c**

**WOMEN'S KERCHIEFS**  
White lawn Kerchiefs, embroidered in white and colors, put up 3 in fancy boxes.  
**21c**

**Women's Linen Kerchiefs**  
Women's fine linen kerchiefs, neatly hemstitched; excellent quality and finish; each, 29c.

CHOOSE NOW for GIFT or Personal USE

## WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SILK AND WOOL HOSE

**SILK HOSE**  
Women's pure silk Thread Hose, double heel and toe; strong garter top; seam up back; all colors and sizes.  
**98c**

**WOOL HOSE**  
Women's finest quality all wool 11 1/2 c, medium weight, fancy stitch—green and brown mixtures—all sizes.  
**198**

**WOOL HOSE**  
Women's fine quality medium weight wool mixture Hose for immediate and winter wear; a splendid value; all sizes.  
**8c**

**MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS**  
Men's fine quality Madras Dress Shirts, cut full, French cuffs, newest stripes, sizes to 17.  
**149**

**DJER KISS TOILET SETS**  
Famous Djer Kiss Toilet Sets, finely scented Toilet Water, face powder and talcum powder in gift box.  
**198**

**MEN'S WOOL JACKETS**  
Men's warm wool jersey jackets, V neck style, 2 pockets, come in brown, green, maroon, etc., all sizes.  
**398**

**72 x 84 BLANKETS**  
72x84 heavy Wool-snap double blankets, many colors, all over plaids, satin bound edges.  
**498**

**WOMEN'S FLAN. KIMONOS**  
Women's fancy flannellette Kimonos, faced with satin ribbon, elastic waist band, pretty flower and figure designs.  
**149**

**MEN'S SILK OR WOOL HOSE**  
Men's fine silk or wool sport Hose, colors, black, blue, cordovan and green or grey mixtures, all sizes.  
**49c**

**64 INCH TABLE DAMASK**  
64 inch mercerized full bleached Table Damask, new attractive striped and floral designs, yard.  
**69c**

**MEN'S BATH ROBES**  
Well made of fancy Beacon Blanket Cloth, rope belt, wonderful assortment of smart new patterns.  
**495**

**WOMEN'S WOOL SHAWLS**  
Women's fine brushed wool shawls with belt and pockets, attractive color combination, plaids and  
**298**

**MEN'S FLAN. SHIRTS**  
Men's warm flannel Shirts, dark grey color, well made, cut full, all sizes from 14 1/2 to 17.  
**169**

**BOYS' UNION SUITS**  
Boys' heavy fleeced Union Suits, color ecru and silver, sizes to 16 years, 79c; sizes 12 to 16.  
**98c**

**MEN'S SILK SHIRTS**  
Men's fine silk crepe de chine Shirts, beautiful fast color, striped patterns, sizes 14 to 17.  
**495**

**MEN'S GARTER SETS**  
Put up in fancy boxes, good quality elastic webbing, satin pads, with armbands to match garters.  
**49c**

**MEN'S UNION SUITS**  
Men's body guard elastic ribbed Union Suits, closed crotch, ecru color, all sizes from 36 to 58.  
**139**

**ALL LEATHER Traveling Bags**  
Genuine cowhide leather traveling bags, solidly constructed, finely leather lined, black or brown, heavy kind.  
**895**

**MEN'S SUSPENDERS**  
Men's durable dress Suspenders, strong elastic webbing and leather ends, put up in fancy Xmas boxes.  
**49c**

**SHOP HERE AND SAVE** **BOSTON STORE** **OUR VALUES ALWAYS BEST**  
LIMA'S ONLY UNDER-SELLING STORE

## NOW FOR THE GREATEST SALE OF COATS SUITS AND DRESSES

The policy of this store prevents us from giving comparative values, but when you see the Coats, Suits and Dresses offered in this sale, you'll admit that we are putting it mildly when we say these are the greatest ready to wear values offered in Lima.

### THE SUITS THE COATS

Fashioned of All Wool Tricotine—All Wool Velour—hand-embroidered, or fur trimmed models; also plain tailored Suits finely Silk lined. Plenty of styles in blue and brown in all sizes for women and misses up to 44.

### THE DRESSES

Every one new—every one different, season's newest styles, dresses made of Canton Crepe, Poiret Tulle, fine all wool Tricotine, etc. A whole rack of them in all the wanted shades, stunningly trimmed. Sizes for women and misses.

**\$14.95**

**DOLLS**  
BEAUTIFUL DRESSED Dolls  
—full 25 inch high, lovely faces of beautiful tinted bisque, with moving eyes and long hair eyelashes, curled and parted mohair wigs, completely outfitted.  
**495**

**DRESSED DOLLS**  
—full 18 inch high, natural tinted faces moving eyes, well jointed body; complete with underwear, hose, shoes, dress and bonnet.  
**298**

**UNBREAKABLE DOLLS**  
—Natural tinted bisque faces, hand painted eyes and features, stuffed body—bobbed wigs, neatly outfitted.  
**98c**

**UNBREAKABLE DOLLS**  
—Hand tinted bisque faces, painted eyes and features, stuffed bodies, boys and girls, dress outfit.  
**39c**

## Men's Overcoats and Suits

**SUITS**  
Suits, 2 and 3 button Fine tailored all wool styles, single and double breasted, neat pencil stripes, blue Serge and novelty fabrics, complete range of sizes from 34 to 44. Special  
**1985**

**COATS**  
The coats come in sizes to fit both men and young men tailored of all wool fabrics, finely half silk lined, large patch pockets, half belts colors are brown, oxford, tan and black. Sizes 34 to 46.  
**2250**

**BOYS 2-PANTS NORFOLK SUITS**  
A wonderful value—Boys Norfolk suits with 2 pair pants, novelty and mixture fabrics, also durable Corduroy Suits, all sizes from 7 to 17.  
**695**

## WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SILK UNDERWEAR

**CREPE DE CHINE BLOOMERS**  
Women's fine Crepe de Chine Bloomers, with elastic top and knee, flesh color, cut extra full—all sizes.  
**198**

**CREPE DE CHINE CHEMISES**  
Women's Crepe de Chine Envelope Chemises, daintily silk embroidered and lace trimmed—satin or lace shoulder straps, sizes to 44.  
**198**

## CREPE DE CHINE AND GEORGETTE WAISTS

**EXTRA VALUES**  
Lace and Embroidered trimmed Crepe de Chine and Georgette Waists—All the newest shades. Tie back styles, over blouses, narrow peplum, with long short or 3-4 length sleeves—sizes to 46.  
**\$3.77**

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builds up body tissues increases the action of the intestines  
Eat 2 to 3 cakes a day  
Avoid yeast preparations in other forms. Fleischmann's Yeast is sold only in its natural fresh form in the familiar tin-foil package with the yellow label. For sale at your grocers.

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ALWAYS A WELCOME GIFT  
**CHRISTMAS SLIPPERS**  
FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN  
**WOMEN'S FELT SLIPPERS**  
Women's soft felt house slippers, attractive designs on vamp, buckskin or leather soles, all colors and sizes.  
**\$1**  
**CHILDREN'S FELT SLIPPERS**  
Children's comfy felt house slippers, durable felt soles—come in grey and red colors—all sizes.  
**CHILDREN'S Rubber Boots**  
Children's first quality rubber boots, red top, heavy durable soles and heels, high finish—in all sizes.  
**219**  
**WOMEN'S Felt Slippers**  
Women's comfy or Juliet felt house slippers, fur or satin ribbon trimmed, padded chrome leather or flexible leather soles, and low heels, come in all colors and sizes, special—  
**198**  
**MEN'S LEATHER House Slippers**  
Soft easy genuine vict kid slipper. Romeo style, flexible soles, low leather heels, all sizes.  
**248**  
**MEN'S Felt Slippers**  
Men's neat and comfortable felt house slippers, popular comfy and Romeo styles, built over roomy last, durable felt soles and low heels. Colors are grey, brown and black—all sizes, special—  
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## LIMA MEN RESCUE TWO FROM DEATH

Found In Colorado Snow After Third Man Perishes

How Herbert G. Kutz, 28, former Toledo man, met a tragic death from freezing and exposure in the snow-covered mountains of Colorado; how his rigid body and his two companions, both near death from over-exertion and cold, were found by A. E. Harshe, Y. M. C. A. secretary in Denver, and who formerly resided at 626 N. Elizabeth-st., was flashed to this city Friday afternoon just after the arrival of Mrs. Harshe and children to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ruhlén, 644 N. Elizabeth-st.

Kutz, employed by the Texas Oil company in Denver, met death when an automobile in which he and two friends had left Denver on a hunt-

ing expedition, became stalled in a snow drift in the mountain, miles away from any community. The three labored in zero temperature thru one night in their efforts to get the machine back on the highway. Early in the morning Kutz fell over dead. His face, feet and hands were frozen.

Harshe, in company with Roy Wingate, son of Mont Wingate, formerly member of the Lima police force, found the dead man and his two companions, the latter near death from exposure, as they were passing the spot in an automobile. First aid was given the survivors and they were later taken to Denver with the body of their companion.

Harshe left Lima last August, conveying his family to Denver in an automobile.

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GET YOUR CHRISTMAS VICTOR RECORDS AT ROWLANDS—LARGEST STOCK OF ALL VICTOR RECORDS.

## CLASH COMES IN FORECAST

WEATHER forecasts are tricky things. Perverse temperature likes to do the very thing the forecaster predicts it won't do. This is understood by most everyone — and nobody cares much about it, anyway.

December continues in its determination to afford fall instead of winter conditions and according to the latest forecast release, 'twill be fair tonight and Saturday and warmer Saturday.

The prognosticator doesn't say so, but any number of goosebump prophecies and those who hold that aching corns are infallible signs that rain is near at hand, will tell you their corns are hurting something fierce. So look out for a downpour and don't be disappointed if the prospect fails of realization.

## Geographic Puzzles

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER:  
SEA + CATTLE + T - CAT = SEATTLE

## URGES ROCK PILE

Safety Director Would Make Prisoners Work

Director of Safety D. W. Dorris advocates the return to the old rock pile system, by which prisoners who are incarcerated in the city jail can be made to work out their fines. At present if a prisoner refuses to pay a fine for a misdemeanor, the court has but little choice but to

free him. The fund from which prisoners are fed is low, despite the fact that the allowance per meal is but 1 cent. Formerly it was 25. Dorris reduced the ration allowance shortly after taking office. There is also considerable paying and repair work needed about the safety building and the safer believes the work could be done by prisoners. The only thing to prevent having work done in the way, suggests is lack of money. The city has no funds available for the purchase of paint, Dorris said.

**Crawford's Bootery**

138 N. Main St.

CRAWFORD'S FOOTWEAR ALWAYS PLEASES

## Saturday Bargains

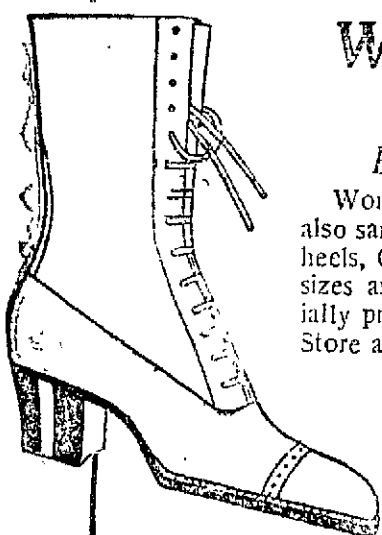
### In Crawford's Down-Stairs Store

Of course you will want new shoes for the Holidays whether you go away for Christmas or entertain in your own home, you are with friends and relatives that you don't see every day and you are anxious to look your very best. New Shoes are one of the first things you'll want. Then, too, there's something festive about Christmas that makes one want to dress up for the occasion. Our display of Winter Footwear for street and dress is very extensive, styles are most attractive and just before Christmas when there is so much to be bought these moderate prices are of great interest.

### Tan Calf Boots

Women's tan calf boots, high lace tops and low, broad heels. Good-year welt sewed soles. An exceptional value in Crawford's Down Stairs Store, at \$5.85.

5<sup>85</sup>



### Women's Lace Boots

Black Kid or Tan Calf

Women's all black kid lace boots, also same style in tan calf with military heels, Goodyear welt sewed soles. All sizes and widths from A to E. Specially priced in Crawford's Down-Stairs Store at

5<sup>85</sup>



### Women's Christmas Slippers \$1.98

Fur Trimmed Julietts at \$1.98

Women's fur trimmed Julietts in all the pretty colors for gifts. Made from excellent quality felt. Comfortable and durable—sure to bring good cheer on Christmas morning.



Comfy Slippers of felt, in pink, Alice blue, navy, lavender, purple, old rose and Oxford grey. They'll brighten many a Christmas tree in Lima.



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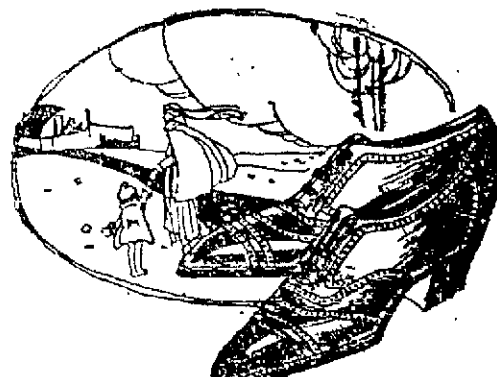
Black or Brown  
Firm-Buckle Styles

\$4

### Women's and Girls Two-Tone Tan Sport Oxfords

Women's and girls' two-tone tan sport oxfords. Low military heels with rubber top lift. Medium round toes. The newest style model of the season. Strictly an \$8 quality. Just moved down stairs to be closed out at, special \$5.85. Widths AAA to D, sizes 2½ to 8.

\$5.85



### Men's Romeos

Black or tan Romeos in comfort-giving lasts. Splendid quality and a special value at

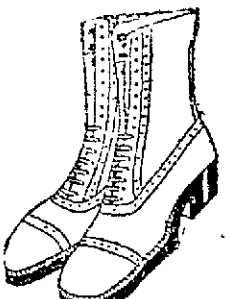
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### School Shoes

Moses' and Children's dark tan school shoes with high laced tops; nature shaped lasts or English styles; all old leather thru and thru. Also same styles in fine black calf. Sizes 9 to 2. Special values at

2<sup>98</sup>



### Boys' School and Dress Shoes \$2.98

Boys school and dress shoes in dark tan calf and genuine gun metal calf. English lasts and full round toe styles. Goodyear welt sewed soles and extra heavy outer soles which assure you more wear to the pair. Sizes 10 to 13½, \$2.98. Big boys' sizes, 1 to 4, \$3.85.



### Boys' Storm Boots

SIZES 9 TO 13½ SIZES 1 TO 6

2<sup>98</sup> 3<sup>48</sup>

### Rubber Boots For Little Tots

Rubber Boots for all of Santa Claus' little friends. Two styles, plain black and with red tops. Sizes 5 to 10½, choice of styles at

\$1.85



Don't Worry About Size — A Fit Assured After Christmas

## Jot This Down on That Xmas List



Seven Piece Aluminum Set consists of—  
Coffee Percolator  
Tea Kettle  
Double Boiler  
Roaster, and  
Three Different size handled Sauce Pan.  
THE GRANDDEST OF ALL GIFTS.  
THE GIFT THAT WILL LAST A LIFETIME.

—nothing you can give a woman will add so much to her joy — not only this Christmas, but throughout her lifetime—as will the HOOSIER Kitchen Cabinet.

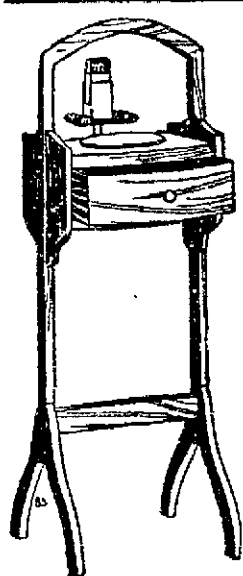
With a HOOSIER in her kitchen, every unnecessary step, every waste motion in preparing meals, and cleaning up after them, is eliminated.

HOOSIER is the gift which has been developed by women—for women. Two million HOOSIER owners, by their suggestions, assisted in making the HOOSIER America's Favorite Kitchen Convenience.

And think of it—how often in your life will you have an opportunity to give the woman you love a gift that is sure to make her happy the rest of her life?

Come in at once and let us show you our complete line of HOOSIER Cabinets. You'll soon see that you can't afford to let your wife do without the HOOSIER.

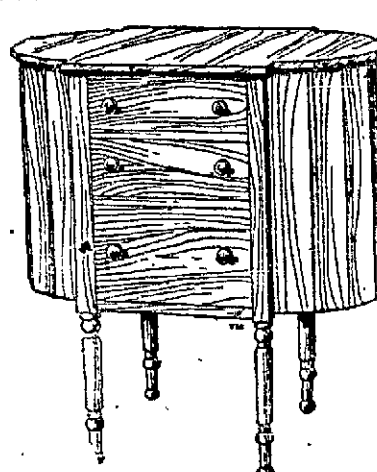
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### Mahogany Finished Smoker

—of high quality, like cut, with small cigarette drawer, ash tray and match holder. A fine piece — only

\$8.75



### Martha Washington Sewing Cabinet

Mahogany finished. A fine gift for the lady of the house. Finished inside. Lots of room for sewing in drawers and in each end.

Specially priced at \$21.25

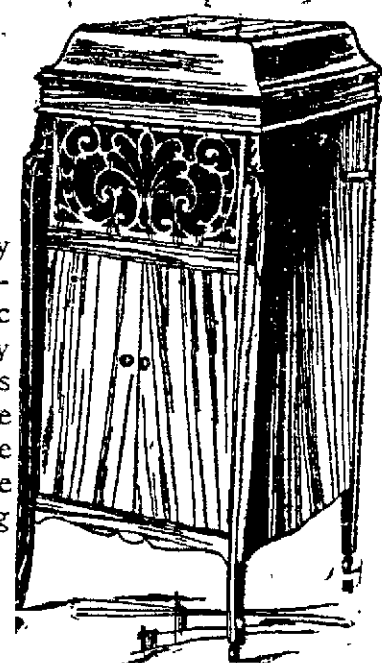
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## FOOTWEAR SPECIALS

MEN'S SHOES	MEN'S BROGUE SHOES	WOMEN'S OXFORDS
Brown calf, Good-year welt with rubber heel, 100% leather.	Brown, with French toe, special.	Brown-calf, with military heel, priced special.
<b>\$4.95</b>	<b>\$8.45</b>	<b>\$4.00</b>

# THE DEISEL CO.

Lima's Big Christmas Store

## GIFT HOUSE SLIPPERS

Women's House Slippers, ribbon and fur trimmed, all colors. Leather sole and heel. Special	<b>\$1.95</b>
Children's Felt Comfy's, light, dark blue and red	<b>\$1.15 to \$1.50</b>
Men's House Slippers, in wine, khaki and black — Special	<b>\$2.00</b>
Boys' Comfy Slippers.	<b>\$1.85 to \$1.95</b>

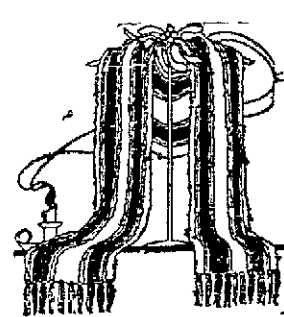
## SATURDAY-FOUR GREAT GROUPS OF WOMEN'S SUITS AT

<b>\$35.00 Suits</b> <b>\$17.50</b> NO APPROVALS	<b>\$45.00 Suits</b> <b>\$22.50</b> NO LAYAWAYS	<b>\$59.50 Suits</b> <b>\$29.75</b> ALTERATIONS CHARGED FOR	<b>\$75.00 Suits</b> <b>\$37.50</b>
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# HALF-PRICE

### Practical Gifts to Gift Seekers

From Our Ready-To-Wear Dept.—Second Floor



#### WOOL AND PLUSH SCARFS

All colors in plain and stripe designs, heavy fringe ends, values to \$8.75.

**\$1.98**

#### WOMEN'S BEACON BATH ROBES

All sizes to 46, Satin trimmed, silk cord and tassels, a nice gift.

**\$8.75**

#### CREPE KIMONOS

Figured and plain designs in all shades, ribbon trimmed.

**\$2.75 - \$3.75**

#### FLANNEL MIDDIES

All wool, in navy red, green and gold braid-trimmed and emblem—

**\$6.75**

#### CHILDREN'S RAIN CAPES AND COATS

Red, tan and blue, sizes 6 to 14, would delight the little lady.

**\$3.98**

### CHRISTMAS GIFTS ON MAIN FLOOR

#### Kerchiefs

Swiss embroidered in white and colored, 3 in box, 29c, 39c, 50c, 59c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Irish embroidered and lace edge on lawn and linen, 10c to \$1.00.

Men's pure linen handkerchiefs, — 50c, 75c.

Ladies' linen handkerchiefs, 18c, 6 for \$1.00.

Ladies' silk umbrellas, \$3.75 to \$14.50.

Hair Bow Ribbons, 39c.

Boudoir Caps, Silk and lace, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.98.

New Metal Belts, 89c, \$1.25, \$1.75.

Beaded Girdles, \$1.75.

Children's Hand Bags, 50c, \$1.00.

Leather Cigarette Cases, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00.

Manicure sets, \$1.50, to \$10.50.

Ladies' Leather Hand Bags, \$1.00 to \$16.50.

Vanities in cense Burners, 50c up.



#### GIVE BLANKETS

64x76 Fleece Blankets, grey, tan and white, \$1.98.

74x80 Fleece Blankets, grey and tan, \$2.98.

Australian Blanket, heavy, tan only, 72x80, \$3.75.

Large heavy Fleece Blankets, 76x80, \$3.48.

All Wool Blankets, taffeta bound, 72x80, colored plaids, \$8.75.

Heavy Fluff Blankets, eight colors in large block plaids, \$3.98.

Beacon Plaid Blankets, pink, blue and grey, \$5.98.

#### SILKS-WOOLENS

54 inch stripe Prunella Skirtings, \$3.75.

Fine grade Canton Crepe, 10 colors, special \$2.69.

40 inch Crepe de Chines, special \$1.69.

40 inch Silk Chiffon Velvets, special \$5.48.

40 inch Cheney Foulards, special, \$2.39.

36 inch Satin De Luxe, special \$2.48.

#### Gloves

Berrins imported kid gloves, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.25.

Gauntlet Gloves, imported, \$4.98.

Ladies Wool Gauntlet Gloves, \$1.98.

Wicker Bread or Work Baskets, 75c to \$1.25.

Minerva all wool Knitting Yarns, all colors, 1 7-8 ounce hanks, 48c.

Table Scarfs on Indian Head, 18 x 54 stamped, 45c.

Luncheon sets, stamped on unbleached muslin, 36 x 36 center piece and six napkins with enough floss to work, complete, 85c.

Plain and jeweled Barrettes, 15c to \$1.

Spanish Combs in jewel designs, \$1.00 to \$4.50.

Christmas Cards, 5c to 25c.

Popular Fiction, \$1.

### —Fairyland —Joyland TOYLAND!



Noise and Fun, toys by the score, all of Santa's old favorite toys and oodles of the new ones he has made.

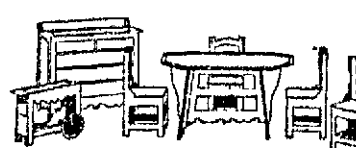
Come on down Kiddies and join in the fun and pick out the things you want Santa to leave at your house Christmas.

#### WHEE-E-E—A MARVEL CAR

Made of hard wood, natural finish body with red wheels and horse's head, at \$1.98, with handle only

**\$1.79**

#### FOLDING DOLL FURNITURE



Living room, bed room, kitchen, dining room. Your choice, per room ..... **10c**

#### REED DOLL CARRIAGES

Finished in cream, with black gear, strongly built, \$6.25.

#### 12-PIECE TOY TEA SET

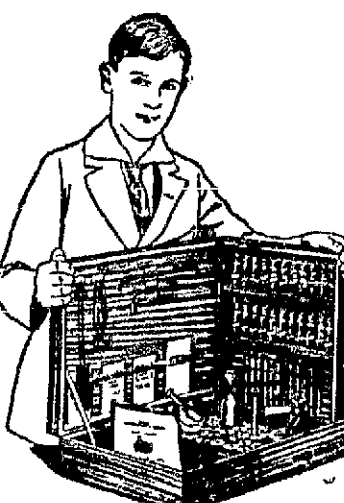
49c each.

#### MUTT AND JEFF DRUM

With fibre head and long sticks, special value, 98c.

#### ODDS AND ENDS OF TOYS

Horses, Speedo Cars, Kid-die Coasters, etc., values as high as \$5.00, your choice, \$1.00.



#### CHEM-CRAFT SETS

\$2.50—\$5.00—\$10

#### LITHO PLATE BOARD & WRITING DESK

Fitted with scroll of 44 illustrations, eight in colors, litho plate is as sanitary as slate but is unbreakable. Board like picture, \$6.75. Others from 75c up.

#### 30-INCH FOLDING DOLL BED

Fitted with mattress and pillows, large enough for a 27-inch doll, only \$1.85.

#### NO. 33 BURROWS POOL TABLES

With full equipment, rule book, 16 balls, triangle, cues, etc., large enough to make exciting plays ..... **\$6.50**



#### MILLINERY

Velvets and Beavers. Sallors and Dress models, values to \$10.00—

at ..... **\$2.95**

Black Dress shapes in Pansie Velvets—values to \$15.00 .... **\$4.45**

### Phoenix Hosiery for Gifts

Pure Silk Hosiery, full fashioned, in brown and black, \$1.95.

Pure Silk Hosiery, fancy drop stitch clove, black only, \$2.85.

Fibre and Silk Hosiery, white clove, black and brown, special \$1.00.

Silk Hosiery—\$1.10, \$1.45 to \$5.00.

Silk and Wool Hosiery, \$1.65, \$1.95, \$2.45.

Wool Hosiery—89c, \$1.00, \$1.45.

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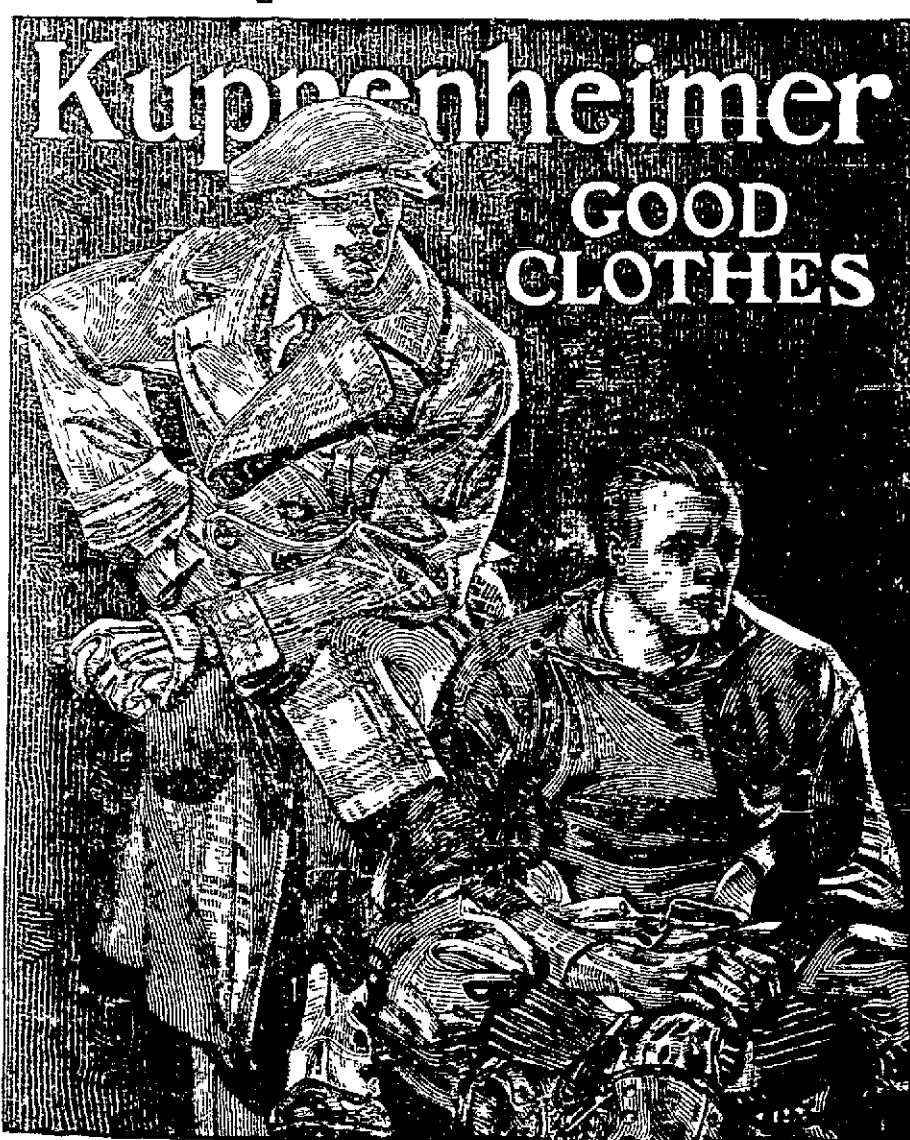
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### Famous Kuppenheimer SUITS and OVERCOATS \$42.85

\$48 AND \$50 VALUES

#### MEN'S TRAVEL COAT SWEATERS

Fine combed knit yarn—with 4 flap pockets, special ..... **\$10**

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Handsome Christmas presents—

**\$2.00—\$3.00—\$4.00**

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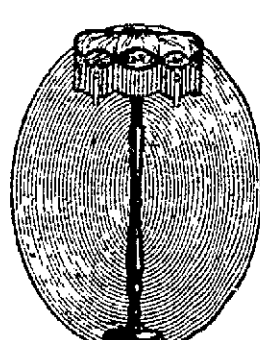
Velvets, Beavers streamers, all shapes, **\$2.98**

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#### FLOOR LAMPS

COMPLETE

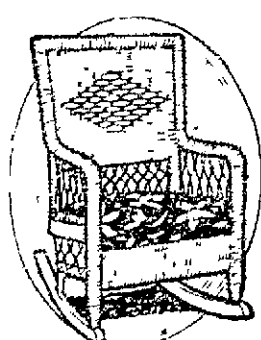
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Mahogany bases, all silk shades, fringe and tassels, figured and plain designs, a fine gift lamp. Complete, **\$19.75.**

#### FIBER ROCKERS

**\$13.50**



Cretonne and tapestry covered, spring seats, ivory and frosted brown finishes. Special value at **\$13.50.**

Third Floor

### Pure Food Grocery--Specials

Dates	ENGLISH Walnuts	Pure Fruit Jelly	Sugar
Two pkgs... <b>33c</b>	Two pounds <b>75c</b>	Pint tumbler <b>21c</b>	Five pounds <b>25c</b> With \$1 order

### SELF-SERVE — Fresh, New Merchandise VERY SPECIAL PRICES

Child's Cotton Knit Union Suits, fleeced, sizes 2 to 18. Special 69c.  
Boys' fine Ribbed Union Suits, sizes 24 to 34. Special 75c.  
Women's medium weight Union Suits, high or low neck designs, well made cotton. Sizes 34 to 44. Special Saturday 80c.  
27 inch Outing, figured designs, remnants 1 to 20 yard lengths. Special Saturday, 13c yard.  
Cotton Blankets—Size 64x76. Special Saturday, \$4.99.  
Children's Hose, black and cordovan. Sizes 5 to 10½. Special 12c and 15c pair.

### Self Serve Grocery--Specials

SOAP AT COST	TAG SOAP	Rub-No-More WASHING POWDER	GOLD DUST
3 Classic Soap 2 Wool Floating 1 Sunbrite Cleanser, all for... <b>29c</b>	Two bars... <b>15c</b> One Bar Free	Six Boxes. <b>25c</b>	Large Box .. <b>27c</b>



# LIMA MEN RESCUE TWO FROM DEATH

Found in Colorado Snow After Third Man Perishes

How Herbert G. Kutz, 28, former Toledo man, met a tragic death from freezing and exposure in the snow-covered mountains of Colorado; how his rigid body and his two companions, both near death from over-exertion and cold, were found by A. E. Harshe, Y. M. C. A. secretary in Denver, and who formerly resided at 628 N. Elizabeth-st., was flashed to this city Friday afternoon just after the arrival of Mrs. Harshe and children to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ruelen, 644 N. Elizabeth-st.

Kutz, employed by the Texas Oil company in Denver, met death when an automobile in which he and two friends had left Denver on a hunt-

ing expedition, became stalled in a snow drift in the mountain, miles away from any community. The three labored in zero temperature thru one night in their efforts to get the machine back on the highway. Early in the morning Kutz fell over dead. His face, foot and hands were frozen.

Harshe, in company with Roy Wingate, son of Mont. Wingate, formerly member of the Lima police force, found the dead man and his two companions, the latter near death from exposure, as they were passing the spot in an automobile. First aid was given the survivors and they were later taken to Denver with the body of their companion.

Harshe left Lima last August, conveying his family to Denver in an automobile.

We pay a per cent interest on money, interest paid semi-annually. You can draw your money at any time. The Wagner Loan Company 120 South Main-st.

GET YOUR CHRISTMAS VICTOR RECORDS AT ROWLANDS—LARGEST STOCK OF ALL VICTOR RECORDS.

## CLASH COMES IN FORECAST

WEATHER forecasts are tricky things. Perverse temperature likes to do the very thing the forecaster predicts it won't do. This is understood by most everyone — and nobody cares much about it, anyway.

December continues in its determination to afford fall instead of winter conditions and according to the latest forecast release, 'twill be fair tonight and Saturday and warmer Saturday.

The prognosticator doesn't say so, but any number of goosebone prophets and those who hold that aching corns are infallible signs that rain is near at hand, will tell you their corns are hurting something fierce.

So look out for a downpour and don't be disappointed if the prospect fails of realization.

## 2 Geographic Puzzles 2

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER:  
SEA + CATTLE + T. — CAT = SEATTLE

## URGES ROCK PILE

Safety Director Would Make Prisoners Work

Director of Safety D. W. Dorris advocates the return to the old rock-pile system, by which prisoners who are incarcerated in the city jail can be made to work out their fines.

free him. The fund from which prisoners are fed is low, despite the fact that the allowance per meal is but 15 cents. Formerly it was 25. Dorris reduced the ration allowance shortly after taking office.

There is also considerable painting and repair work needed about the safety building and the safer believes the work could be done by prisoners.

The only thing to prevent having work done in the way suggested is lack of money.

The city has no funds available for the purchase of paint, Dorris said.

**Crawford's Bootery**  
138 N. Main St.

CRAWFORD'S FOOTWEAR ALWAYS PLEASES

## Saturday Bargains In Crawford's Down-Stairs Store

Of course you will want new shoes for the Holidays whether you go away for Christmas or entertain in your own home, you're with friends and relatives that you don't see every day and you are anxious to look your very best. New Shoes are one of the first things you'll want. Then, too, there's something festive about Christmas that makes one want to dress up for the occasion. Our display of Winter Footwear for street and dress is very extensive, styles are most attractive and just before Christmas when there is so much to be bought these moderate prices are of great interest.

### Tan Calf Boots

Women's tan calf boots, high lace tops and low, broad heels. Good-year welt sewed soles. An exceptional value in Crawford's Down Stairs Store, at \$5.85.

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### Women's Lace Boots

Black Kid or Tan Calf

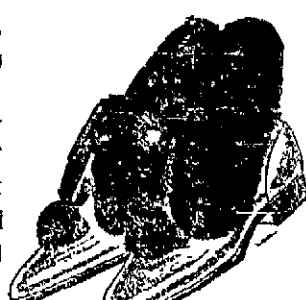
Women's all black kid lace boots, also same style in tan calf with military heels, Goodyear welt sewed soles. All sizes and widths from A to E. Specially priced in Crawford's Down-Stairs Store at

5<sup>85</sup>

### Women's Christmas Slippers \$1.98

Fur Trimmed Julies at \$1.98

Women's fur trimmed Julies in all the pretty colors for gifts. Made from excellent quality felt. Comfortable and durable—sure to bring good cheer on Christmas morning.



Comfy Slippers of felt, in pink, Alice blue, navy, lavender, purple, old rose and Oxford grey. They'll brighten many a Christmas tree in Lima.

### Golashes

Black or Brown Four-Buckle Styles

\$4

### Women's and Girls Two-Tone Tan Sport Oxfords

Women's and girls' two-tone tan sport oxfords. Low military heels with rubber top lift. Medium round toes. The newest style model of the season. Strictly an \$8 quality. Just moved down stairs to be closed out at, special \$5.85. Widths AAA to D, sizes 2 1/2 to 8.

\$5.85

### Men's Romeos

Black or tan Romeos in comfort-giving lasts. Splendid quality and a special value at

1<sup>98</sup>

### School Shoes

Misses' and Children's dark tan or school shoes with high lace tops; nature shaped lasts or English styles, all good leather thru and thru, also same styles in fine black calf. Sizes 2 to 2. Special values at

2<sup>98</sup>

### Boys' School and Dress Shoes \$2.98

Boys school and dress shoes in dark tan calf and genuine gun metal calf. English lasts and full round toe styles. Goodyear welt sewed soles and extra heavy outer soles which assure you more wear to the pair. Sizes 10 to 13 1/2, \$2.98. Big boys' sizes, 4 to 6, \$3.85.

### Boys' Storm Boots

SIZES 9 TO 13 1/2 SIZES 1 TO 6

2<sup>98</sup> 3<sup>48</sup>

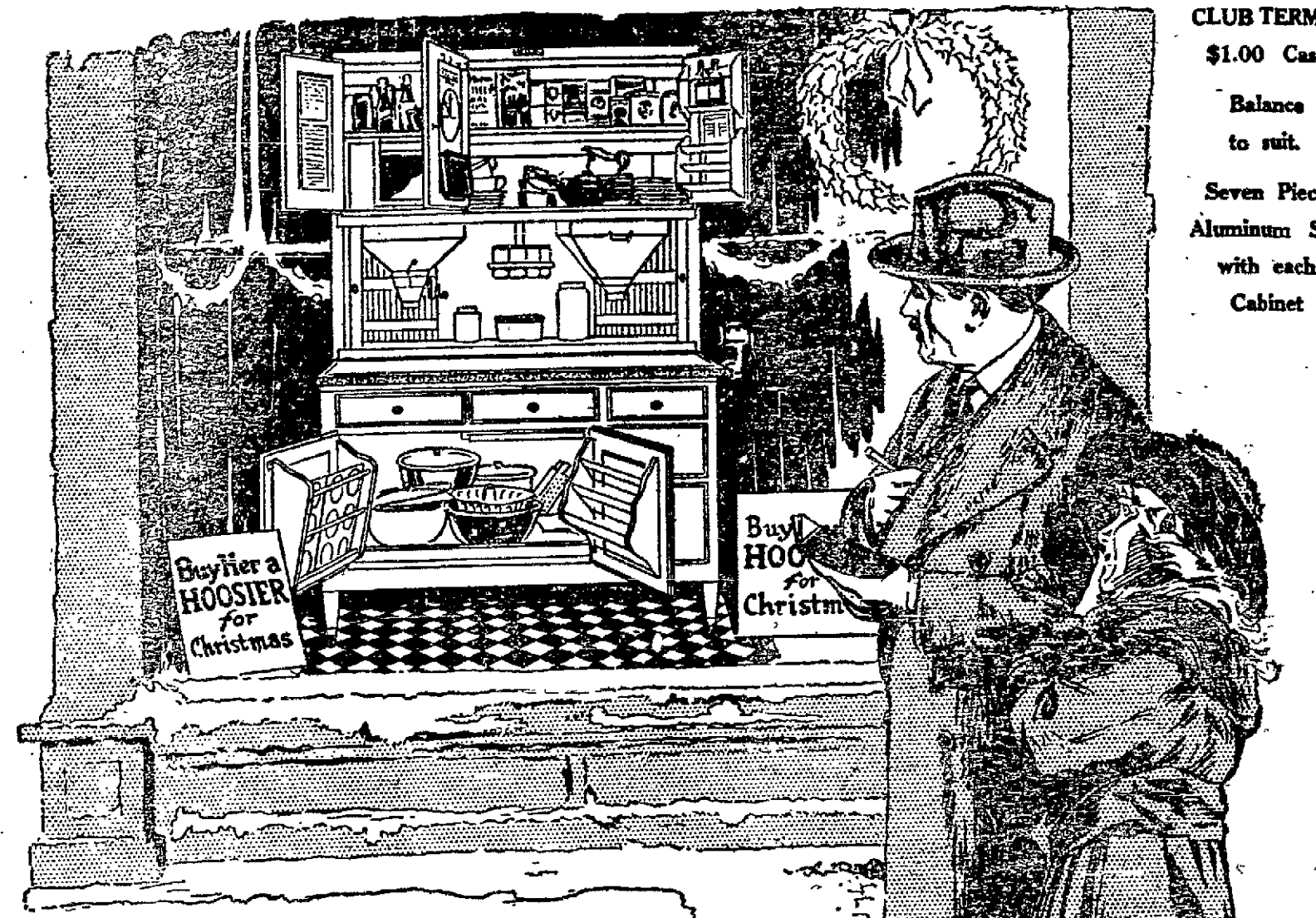
### Rubber Boots For Little Tots

Rubber Boots for all of Santa Claus' little friends. Two styles, plain black and with red top. Sizes 5 to 10 1/2, choice of styles at

\$1.85

Don't Worry About Size — A Fit Assured After Christmas

## Join the Empire Hoosier Xmas Club. \$1.00 Cash Secures the Cabinet Club Now Open. Come at Once and Select Yours



## Jot This Down on That Xmas List



Seven Piece Aluminum Set consists of—  
Coffee Percolator  
Tea Kettle  
Double Boiler  
Roaster, and  
Three Different size handled Sauce Pan.  
THE GRANDEST OF ALL GIFTS.  
THE GIFT THAT WILL LAST A LIFETIME.

—nothing you can give a woman will add so much to her joy — not only this Christmas, but throughout her lifetime—as will the HOOSIER Kitchen Cabinet.

With a HOOSIER in her kitchen, every unnecessary step, every waste motion in preparing meals, and cleaning up after them, is eliminated.

HOOSIER is the gift which has been developed by women—for women. Two million HOOSIER owners, by their suggestions, assisted in making the HOOSIER America's Favorite Kitchen Convenience.

And think of it—how often in your life will you have an opportunity to give the woman you love a gift that is sure to make her happy the rest of her life?

Come in at once and let us show you our complete line of HOOSIER Cabinets. You'll soon see that you can't afford to let your wife do without the HOOSIER.

\$1.00 CASH IS ALL YOU PAY

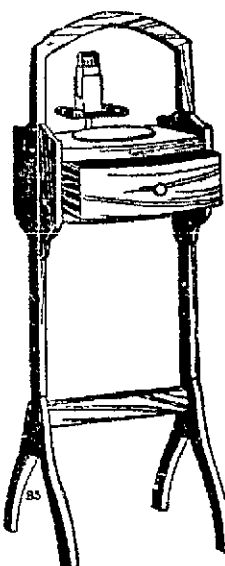
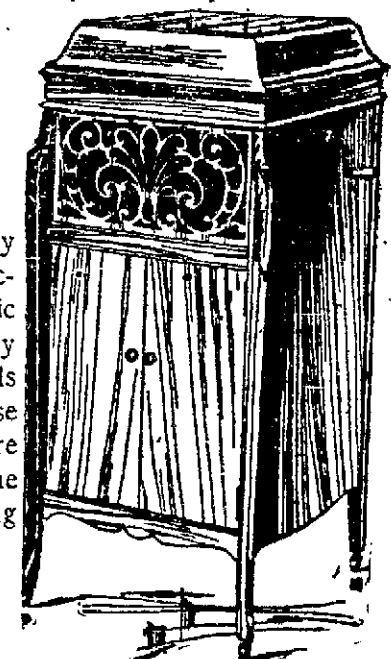
## A Big Purchase of United Phonographs

enables us to offer this great big machine at only

\$95.00

It has double spring motor, fully guaranteed. Plays all make records, nickel trimmings, automatic stop, record file in bottom. Finely finished in brown mahogany. Stands 47 inches high. We secured these 'way below regular price and are offering them to you at the same great saving we made in buying them.

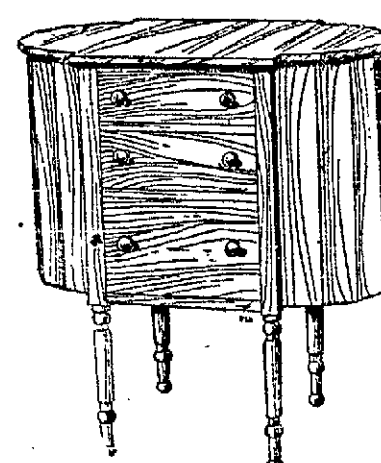
Special Reduced Prices on our Ribell Line of Phonographs.



Mahogany Finished Smoker

—of high quality, like cut, with small cigarette drawer, ash tray and match holder. A fine piece — only

\$8.75



Martha Washington Sewing Cabinet

Mahogany finished. A fine gift for the lady of the house. Finished inside. Lots of room for sewing in drawers and in each end.

Specially priced at \$21.25

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THE YELLOW FRONT STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY  
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This Year Give Furniture for Xmas. Look Over Our Line



## FOOTWEAR SPECIALS

**MEN'S SHOES**  
Brown calf, Good-year welt with rubber heel, 100% leather.  
**\$4.95**

**MEN'S BROGUE SHOES**  
Brown, with French toe, special.  
**\$8.45**

**WOMEN'S OXFORDS**  
Brown calf, with military heel, priced special.  
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# THE DEISEL CO.

Lima's Big Christmas Store

## GIFT HOUSE SLIPPERS

Women's House Slippers, ribbon and fur trimmed, all colors. Leather sole and heel. Special ..... **\$1.95**  
Children's Felt Comfy's, light, dark blue and red ..... **\$1.15 TO \$1.50**  
Men's House Slippers, in wine, khaki and black — Special ..... **\$2.00**  
Boys' Comfy Slippers, ..... **\$1.85 TO \$1.95**

## SATURDAY-FOUR GREAT GROUPS OF WOMEN'S SUITS AT

**\$35.00 Suits**  
**\$17.50**  
NO APPROVALS

**\$45.00 Suits**  
**\$22.50**  
NO LAYAWAYS

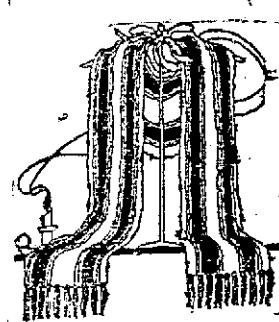
**\$59.50 Suits**  
**\$29.75**  
ALTERATIONS CHARGED FOR

**\$75.00 Suits**  
**\$37.50**

# HALF-PRICE

### Practical Gift Seekers

From Our Ready-To-Wear Dept.—Second Floor



#### WOOL AND PLUSH SCARFS

All colors in plain and stripe designs, heavy fringe ends, values to \$8.75.

**\$1.98**

**WOMEN'S BEACON BATH ROBES**  
All sizes to 46, Satin trimmed, silk cord and tassels, a nice gift.  
**\$8.75**

#### CREPE KIMONOS

Figured and plain designs in all shades, ribbon trimmed.

**\$2.75 - \$3.75**

#### FLANNEL MIDDIES

All wool, in navy red, green and gold braid trimmed and emblem—

**\$6.75**

#### CHILDREN'S RAIN CAPES AND COATS

Red, tan and blue, sizes 6 to 14, would delight the little lady.

**\$3.98**

### CHRISTMAS GIFTS ON MAIN FLOOR

#### Kerchiefs

Swiss embroidered in white and colored, 3 in box, 29c, 39c, 50c, 59c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Irish embroidered and lace edge on lawn and linen, 10c to \$1.00. Men's pure linen handkerchiefs, — 50c, 75c.

Ladies' linen handkerchiefs, 18c, 6 for \$1.00.

Ladies' silk umbrellas, \$5.75 to \$14.50.

Hair Bow Ribbons, 39c.

Boudoir Caps, Silk and lace, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.98.

New Metal Belts, 89c, \$1.25, \$1.75.

Beaded Girdles, \$1.75.

Children's Hand Bags, 50c, \$1.00.

Leather Cigarette Cases, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00.

Manicure sets, \$1.50, to \$10.50.

Ladies' Leather Hand Bags, \$1.00 to \$16.50.

Vantines in cense Burners, 50c up.



#### GIVE BLANKETS

64x76 Fleece Blankets, grey, tan and white, \$1.98.

74x80 Fleece Blankets, grey and tan, \$2.98.

Australian Blanket, heavy, tan only, 72x80, \$3.75.

Large heavy Fleece Blankets, 76x80, \$3.48.

All Wool Blankets, taffeta bound, 72x80, colored plaids, \$8.75.

Heavy Fluff Blankets, eight colors in large block plaids, \$3.98.

Beacon Plaid Blankets, pink, blue and grey, \$5.98.

#### SILKS-WOOLENS

54 inch stripe Prunella Skirtings, \$3.75.

Fine grade Canton Crepe, 10 colors, special \$2.69.

40 inch Crepe de Chines, special \$1.69.

40 inch Silk Chiffon Velvets, special \$5.48.

40 inch Cheney Foulards, special, \$2.39.

36 inch Satin De Luxe, special \$2.48.

#### Gloves

Errins imported kid gloves, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.25.

Gauntlet Gloves, imported, \$4.98.

Ladies Wool Gauntlet Gloves, \$1.98.

Wicker Bread or Work Baskets, 75c to \$1.25.

Minerva all wool Knitting Yarns, all colors, 1 7-8 ounce hanks, 48c.

Table Scarfs on Indian Head, 18 x 54 stamped, 45c.

Luncheon sets, stamped on unbleached muslin, 36 x 36 center piece and six napkins with enough floss to work, complete, 85c.

Plain and jeweled Barrettes, 15c to \$1.

Spanish Combs in jewel designs, \$1.00 to \$4.50.

Christmas Cards, 5c to 25c.

Popular Fiction, \$1.

### —Fairyland —Joyland TOYLAND!



Noise and Fun, toys by the score, all of Santa's old favorite toys and oodles of the new ones he has made.

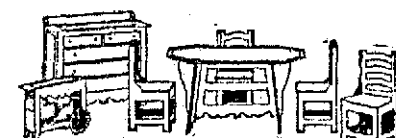
Come on down Kiddies and join in the fun and pick out the things you want Santa to leave at your house Christmas.

#### WHEE-E-E — A MARVEL CAR

Made of hard wood, natural finish body with red wheels and horse's head, at \$1.98, with handle only.

**\$1.79**

#### FOLDING DOLL FURNITURE



Living room, bed room, kitchen, dining room. Your choice, per room ..... **10c**

#### REED DOLL CARRIAGES

Finished in cream, with black gear, strongly built, \$6.25.

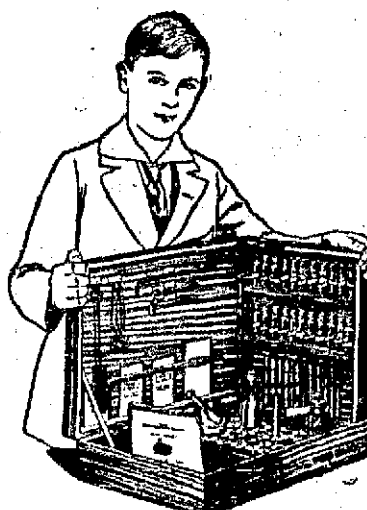
12-PIECE TOY TEA SET 49c each.

12-INCH MUTT AND JEFF DRUM

With fibre head and long sticks, special value, 98c.

ODDS AND ENDS OF TOYS

Horses, Speedo Cars, Kid-die Coasters, etc., values as high as \$5.00, your choice, \$1.00.



CHEM-CRAFT SETS \$2.50—\$5.00—\$10

#### LITHO PLATE BOARD & WRITING DESK

Fitted with scroll of 44 illustrations, eight in colors, litho plate is as sanitary as slate but is unbreakable. Board like picture, \$6.75. Others from 75c up.

30-INCH FOLDING DOLL BED Fitted with mattress and pillows, large enough for a 27-inch doll, only \$1.85.

#### NO. 33 BURROWS POOL TABLES

With full equipment, rule book, 16 balls, triangle, cues, etc., large enough to make exciting plays ..... **\$6.50**



#### MILLINERY

Velvets and Beavers. Sallors and Dress models, values to \$10.00—

at ..... **\$2.95**  
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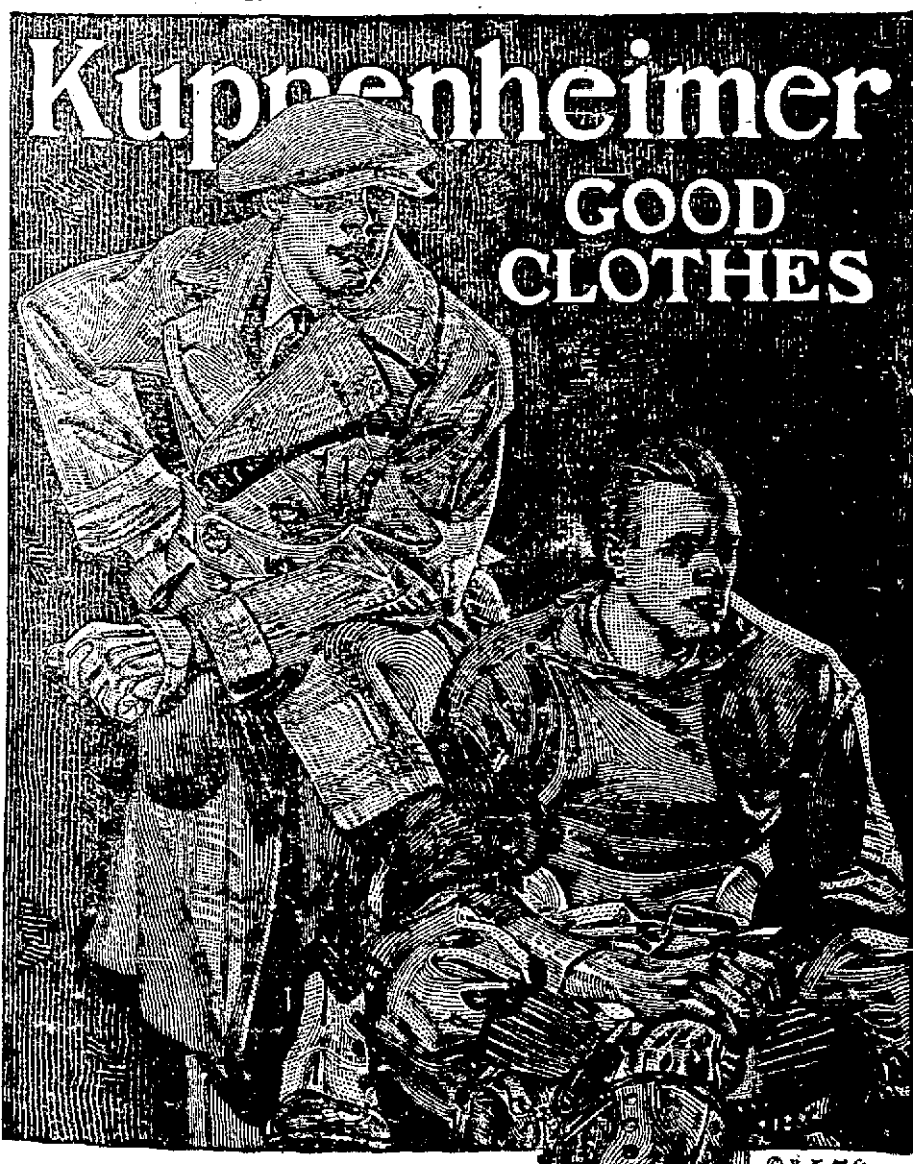
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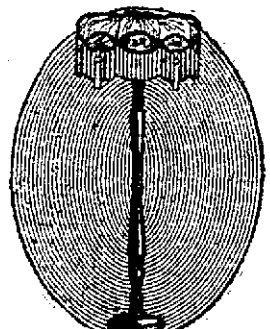
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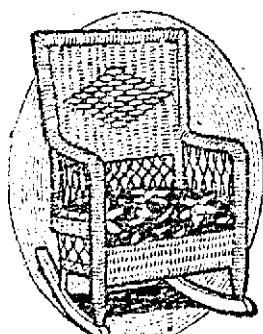
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#### FIBER ROCKERS

**\$13.50**



Cretonne and tapestry covered, spring seats, ivory and frosted brown finishes. Special value at ..... **\$13.50.**

Third Floor

### Pure Food Grocery--Specials

Dates	ENGLISH Walnuts	Pure Fruit Jelly	Sugar
Two pkgs. 33c	Two pounds 75c	Pint tumbler 21c	Five pounds 25c
			With \$1 order

### SELF-SERVE — Fresh, New Merchandise VERY SPECIAL PRICES

Child's Cotton Knit Union Suits, fleeced, sizes 2 to 16. Special 69c.  
Boy's fine Ribbed Union Suits, sizes 24 to 34. Special 75c.  
Women's medium weight Union Suits, high or low neck designs, well made cotton. Sizes 34 to 44. Special Saturday 89c.  
27 inch Outing, figured designs, remnants 1 to 20 yard lengths. Special Saturday, 15c yard.  
Cotton Blankets—Size 64x76. Special Saturday, \$1.80.  
Children's Hose, black and cordovan. Sizes 5 to 10 1/2. Special 12c and 15c pair.

### Self Serve Grocery--Specials

SOAP AT COST	TAG SOAP	Rub-No-More WASHING POWDER	GOLD DUST
3 Classic Soap 2 Wool Floating 1 Sunbrite Cleanser, all for.. 29c	Two bars.. 15c One Bar Free	Six Boxes. 25c	Large Box .. 27c



## HELD IN WALL-ST BLAST PROBE

Omaha Man Taken as Suspect  
—Claims Alibi

OMAHA, Neb. — (By United Press) — The latest attempt to fix the blame for the Wall-st bomb outrage of September 16, 1929, "blasted" today, when Mike Stine, a Bulgarian hotel clerk, arrested last night following receipt of a mysterious note, established a nullity.

At the time of the explosion, Stine was doing a "strong man act" with a carnival company appearing at the Ak-Sar-Ben festivities in Omaha, he declared. Police believe his story, but are still holding him pending further investigation.

No trace of the mysterious sender of the note which caused Stine's arrest, has been found.

When arrested Stine was working

as night clerk at the Grand Hotel, a cheap boarding house in the foreign quarter.

Eight hours of third degree questioning have failed to change Stine's story that he has not been in New York since 1902, police said.

The unsigned note, which led to Stine's arrest, reads:

"Go south of Harvard-st. Find a dark-skinned man with long black hair, wearing a green sweater with red stripe and red collar. He runs a rooming house. Ask him if he was ever in San Francisco and ask him if he drove the one-horse wagon of dynamite in Wall-st."

**DISEASE-PROOF POTATO**  
LONDON.—A new potato, called Di Vernon, exhibited here, is said to be immune from disease and to yield heavily. A single potato brought last year, its owner said, produced 56 pounds of tubers last season.

**NOTICE**  
After this date, Dec. 11, 1921, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Maud Bufenbarger.

S. W. BUFENBARGER.

## OHIO ELECTRIC LOSES IN LIGHT RATE BATTLE

State public utilities commission has overruled the Ohio Electric company's appeal for a higher light rate scheduled in this city and ratified council's ordinance of August 2, 1920, which fixed the present rate to remain effective until August 2, 1922.

Under the ruling all electric light, power and fuel tariffs will stand as at present. The light schedule as fixed by council calls for a charge of from 8-12 to three cents per kilowatt hour for current used. A discount of five per cent is allowed on all bills paid at the company's office on or before the 10th of the month.

A rate of four cents per kilowatt hour, without discount being allowed, was fixed for the boulevard lighting system.

**NOBODY INTERESTED**  
WEYBRIDGE, Eng.—Only one person attended the first of a series of lectures on horticulture here. That was the lecturer himself. The series was abandoned.

## AROUND : LIMA HOUR : BY : HOUR

WITH APOLOGIES

**By OH: OH: JACKENIUM**  
Strolling around the Metropolis: Elizabeth and Market, Zee Owens keeper of the archives of the Allen-co Historical Society, he-seeking Mayor-elect Cunningham to give him the photo of the public square in 1860. Earl Rohn, the new City Commissioner, who admits being approached by Jobey Kaufman, the steel king. Kaufman wants the appointment as Custodian of Confiscated booze, with power to name his own chief deputy upon whom will

fall the work. Don Campbell, the journalist, who usually migrates to Arizona with the first snowfall. George Newson, one-time merchant prince here, now head of a chain of out-of-town stores. The new Zet-litz company, which has taken over a 99-year lease from that classic, honored and impeccable founder of the floral emporium, Eggert N. Zet-litz. Came here without a penny; has a suburban home fit for the king he is. May his days be long and merry.

He is a silly young Lima ass who still thinks a farmer is declass and wears greatboots, asking Dar Kir-own chief deputy upon whom will

tourist, when he expects to go back to chickens and the plough.

"Not going," lecturing now."

"And where, pray, my man?"

"Door of Hope, Thursday night,

8:15" snapped Farmer Dan.

"By jove," returned the ass, "I'll come down, doncherno." And he went.

Bringing Up Father may lose a

good fellow a good job. All because

the Kiwanis club had corned beef

and cabbage at their luncheon Tues-

day. The occasion was the visit,

too, of Bishop Robert L. Harris, and

The Argonne the scene. When en-

tered into a sequestered nook and be-

rated over the menu, the steward's

excuse is said to have been: "I thought Jiggs was to be the guest of honor."

## MEN AND MATTERS

Dr. Herbert A. Thomas, of 503 N. Jameson-av, will return Friday from Chicago where he has been attending the Paedological meeting of North America. The meeting convened Wednesday and closed Friday.

## ALBERT DUNCAN DEAD

CLEVELAND — Albert Duncan ("Starlight") Boyd 58, negro, for 20 years a Republican power in ward politics, died here.

**STERLING SILVERWARE IN DIFFERENT PATTERNS. 20 TO 40 PER CENT REDUCTIONS. ROSE, THE JEWELER, 116 WEST HIGH STREET.**

## Our Great December Sale of Silk Undergarments

has attracted wide-spread attention! Have you made your selections? We advise you to come in tomorrow and make your purchases while the assortment is at its best. You will find rare bargains in daintiest underwear of the best quality. Whether you wish to buy for your own use or for Christmas gifts you will be delighted with the values offered.

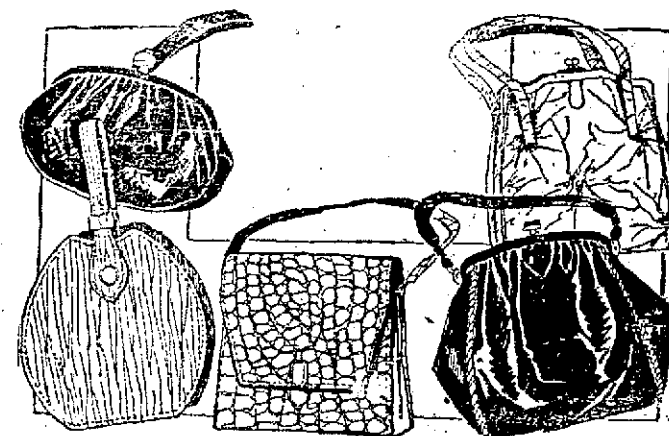
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221  
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## Four Special Groups of Smart Hand Bags

We quote no price comparison but you will recognize the worth of these bags when you see them.

Women's real leather bags of various popular shapes in brown, plain, striped or with tooled decoration. Also Persian leather bags in black and brown. Remarkable values.

**\$1.95**

**\$2.95**

Cleverly styled hand bags in Persian leather plain and in the spiderweb effect in black, brown, grey. There are also black crepe and pin seal bags. All fitted with mirror and some with coin purses.

**\$3.95**

Genuine pin seal bags; others of Persian leather in brown and grey; brown bags of shrunken seal. They are in various shapes and sizes to suit lady's taste.

**\$4.95**

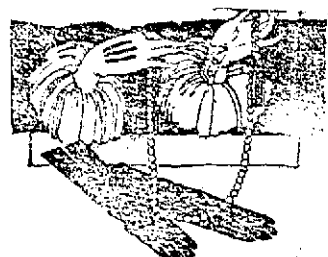
## Gift Stationery--Special

Good quality writing paper attractively boxed. 24 sheets, 24 cards, and 48 envelopes in all white, all blue, all pink, or assorted colors to the box. Sells regularly at \$1.50—For Saturday, only, **\$1.10**.

**\$1.10**

## Special Sale of

## Women's Gloves



In 8 or 10 button lengths in many smart novelty styles that are very appropriate for immediate wear or as Xmas gifts.

Formerly Priced \$2.75 to \$3.50

**\$1.95**

## Double Silk

Splendid quality double silk gloves that are so practical for present wear. Two class style in brown, grey, navy, black or white, all sizes. Sells regularly at \$1.65.

**\$1.29**

## Washable Cape

Ladies' washable cape gloves in grey, black, and brown in two class style. All sizes in the lot but not all sizes of each color. Sell regularly at \$2.50.

**\$1.39**

## Women's Xmas Hosiery Lace Hose

Beautiful lace hose that make wonderful gifts. They are "Kaysen" and "Van Raalte" hose in many styles of lace work—black, cordovan, African brown, navy, grey, and white. Extra values.

**\$3.75**



## All Silk Hosiery

Splendid quality silk hose with silk tops and silk feet to be had in black. They make lovely gifts. A \$3.00 quality specially priced.

**\$2.29**

Tax 3c

Merchandise Orders May be Written for Any Amount—They Make Appreciated Xmas Gifts

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WHILE THEY LAST

Our Entire Remaining Stock of

## Fine Tailored Suits

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PRICE

You make the Reduction of one-half yourself at the Time of Purchase

\$ 25.00 Suits, now on sale at	\$12.50
\$ 35.00 Suits, now on sale at	\$17.50
\$ 49.50 Suits, now on sale at	\$24.75
\$ 59.50 Suits, now on sale at	\$29.75
\$ 75.00 Suits, now on sale at	\$37.50
\$ 85.00 Suits, now on sale at	\$42.50
\$ 98.50 Suits, now on sale at	\$49.25
\$125.00 Suits, now on sale at	\$62.50
\$149.50 Suits, now on sale at	\$74.75

Our sole purpose in making this drastic cut at this time is to reduce our stock of suits at once. You will realize we cannot accept the return of any suits purchased at this sale.

## KELTNER'S DRUG NEWS

Circulation—Thousands  
of Satisfied Patrons

Our Motto—The  
Public Be Pleased

Weather—Always  
Fair at Keltner's

VALUES THESE SPECIALS SATURDAY SERVICE

One Good Store Where You Find Everything in the Drug and Toilet Line — San Tox and Nyals Agency

## SPECIAL SATURDAY CUT PRICES

### TOILET ARTICLES (Tax Included)

25c Ejer Kiss Talcum.....20c  
50c Ejer Kiss Face Powder.....39c  
\$1.35 Ejer Kiss Toilet Waters.....1.00  
50c Ejer Kiss Rouge.....39c  
25c Maris Tale.....19c  
50c Maris Face Powder.....39c  
50c Pompeian Face Powder.....50c  
50c Pompeian Rouge.....50c  
50c Cocoa Butter Cream.....39c  
\$1.00 Mary Garden Face Powder.....79c  
50c Mary Garden Rouge.....50c  
50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste.....39c  
50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste.....39c  
60c Multisided Coconut Oil.....39c  
25c Johnson's Baby Powder.....19c  
\$1.20 Listerine.....89c  
60c Listerine.....13c  
24c Corn Huskers Lotion.....23c  
Try Almond Lotion, 3 oz. bottle.....25c  
For Chapped Hands and Face, leaves the skin like velvet.

## XMAS GIFTS

Buy Now!

—Perfumes  
—Ivory Goods  
—Toilettes  
—Candies  
and hundreds  
of other suit-  
able presents.

## SPECIAL SATURDAY CUT PRICES

### PROPRIETARY MEDICINES (Tax Included)

\$1.50 Allen Rhe.....\$1.15  
Bayer's Aspirin.....14c, 28c, \$1.00  
American Aspirin, 1 doz., 10c; 3 doz., 25c; 100 bottle.....60c  
Genuine Castoria.....31c  
\$1.25 Dreo.....95c  
\$1.25 Evan's Triple Phos- phates.....96c  
50c Drake's Croup Syrup.....39c  
\$1.25 Nujol.....\$1.00  
\$1.10 Tanlac.....89c  
\$1.10 Vinol.....89c  
\$1.15 Vitamin.....87c  
\$1.25 Plinkham's Veg. Comp. \$1.00  
Listerine.....23c, 40c, 89c  
30c Hill's Casarea Comp.....23c  
30c Grove's Laxative Quinine 75c  
75c Rheuma.....69c  
\$1.10 Nuxated Iron.....89c  
Nature's Remedy Tablets, 19c, 39c, 79c  
69c Milk's Emulsion.....16c  
\$1.25 Milk's Emulsion.....\$1.00

## Art Needlework Class Discontinued Until Further Notice

Owing to the busy time at this season of the year for both our patrons and ourselves we have discontinued all Art Needlework classes until their resumption will be announced.

For Saturday

## Important Sale of Millinery

All Ladies' Velvet Hats Go  
Regardless of Cost

In 3 Groups

GROUP I Values up to \$10.00	<b>\$1.95</b>
GROUP II Values up to \$15.00	<b>\$5.00</b>
GROUP III Values up to \$25.00	<b>\$7.50</b>

Street hats or dress hats in black and colors.

Millinery Shop—2nd Floor

No Exchanges

No Approvals





## GUARDS CAPTURED BY RUM GANG

In Vault as Kentucky Bandits Take Whiskey

## AGENTS GET 10 STILL

War on Between Officials and Liquor Runners

LOUISVILLE.—(By Associated Press.)—Federal prohibition agents in Kentucky have just concluded one of the largest raids in the history of prohibition enforcement in the

state. The raid, which was conducted by agents of the Louisville office, resulted in the capture of ten stills and the seizure of a large quantity of whiskey.

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away with 194 cases of bottled in bond and ten barrels of whiskey from the T. B. Rippy distillery at Tyrore, Ky.

**STILLS SMASHED**  
Early in the week, 30 prohibition enforcement agents with Robert Blackburn, chief agent at the head, invaded Nelson, Washington and Marion-cos. When the agents came out late yesterday the raid had yielded seven prisoners, ten stills and 38 foundations were broken up, and 30,000 gallons of beer and 68 gallons of moonshine whiskey were destroyed. Warrants for a number of other alleged law violators have been issued as a result of the raid. Meantime, several raids in Louisville have netted small quantities of wet goods.

The bandits, in raiding the Rippy distillery, captured four guards and three passersby and after handcuffing them, put them in a vault in the distillery office while they loaded the whiskey into motor trucks and automobiles and drove off.

**CREAMED BUTTERMILK OR SWEET SKIMMED MILK**  
10c A GALLON  
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We pay 8 per cent interest on money, interest paid semi-annually. You can draw your money at any time. The Wagner Loan Company, 130 South Main-st.

Buy a FORD for Her Xmas

## 283 CASES HANDLED IN NOVEMBER BY NURSING DIVISION OF RED CROSS

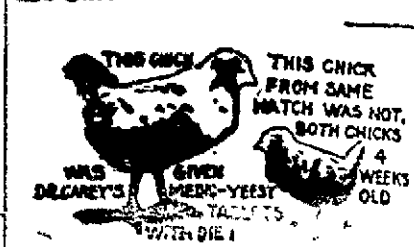
November report of the Nurses Division of the Allen-co chapter Red Cross shows 283 cases handled during the month. Of this number 175 cases were discharged and 108 remained at the first of December. Of the total number discharged 172 had fully recovered, two were improved and one remained unimproved. Nursing visits totaled 369. Infant welfare visits 127, child welfare visits 192 and other calls 50. Over 700 visits were made during the month.

Of the cases handled physicians reported 22, members of families 32, life insurance company 18, board of health 72 and others 17. Twenty-one patients under two years of age were given treatment, 37 between two and six years old, 48 over the age of six and 20 were cared for.

Communicable diseases headed the list with 76 cases and in order came well babies under supervision, 12; obstetrical, 13; pneumonia, 9; surgical dressing cases, 6; gastrointestinal diseases in infants, 6; chronic illness, 4; tuberculosis, 1; all others 38.

**GET YOUR CHRISTMAS VICTOR RECORDS AT ROWLANDS—LARGEST STOCK OF ALL VICTOR RECORDS.**

## Science Discovers Thousands Suffer From Lack of One Vital Element in Their Food--VITAMINES



Unless we have enough of this health-maintaining vitamin in our daily food we can not be vigorous and robust—science has proven by the experiments on the chickens as shown above. Modern diet lacks this vital element which is abundant in uncooked foods and green, leafy vegetables, but usually destroyed in cooking with the result that we do not get enough vitamins to give us the strength and energy we should have.

**DR. CAREY'S MEDIC-YEST TABLETS** supplied this missing element to the diet of the chicken and with the desired result shown in the illustration above.

**DR. CAREY'S MEDIC-YEST TABLETS** contain the three important vitamins (Fat soluble A and Water soluble B and C) and taken into the system give you strength and energy. They build up the body with firm flesh and tissue, strengthen the nerves and rejuvenate the whole system. **DR.**

**CAREY'S MEDIC-YEST TABLETS** supply just what your body needs if you are run down, nervous, anaemic, thin and haggard looking or lack vitality and energy you will find it to your benefit to make the following test: First weigh and measure yourself, next take two of **DR. CAREY'S MEDIC-YEST TABLETS** after each meal. Then weigh and measure yourself again each week and continue taking **DR. CAREY'S MEDIC-YEST TABLETS** after each meal regularly until you are thoroughly satisfied with your gain in weight, strength and energy.

**DR. CAREY'S MEDIC-YEST TABLETS** round out the face and figure with firm flesh, give color to the cheeks and brilliancy to the eyes—skin eruptions, pimples and boils miraculously disappear.

**DR. CAREY'S MEDIC-YEST TABLETS** are economical and easy to take. By setting the essential yeast vitamins in these concentrated tablets you run no risk of upsetting the stomach and satisfactory results are positively guaranteed or the small amount you pay for the trial will be cheerfully refunded.

Write the name down and accept only the genuine. For many reasons only one tablet can take its place. Ask for **DR. CAREY'S MEDIC-YEST TABLETS** at **Huntley's Drug Stores**, **Thompson's Drug Stores**, **Mykran's Co.** Cor Main and North-sts—Adv

**AMBITIOUS LIMA PEOPLE** never let an evening pass without a careful reading of *The News*. They know they can't afford to.

## "Thank You"

### Announcement

The P&Q Shop shows its appreciation for the genuine support in the past years, to all its loyal customers and their friends by a practical and substantial offering.

See Page 12



Commencing Tomorrow, Saturday---In the Blouse Shop---Second Floor

# Our Fourth SEMI-ANNUAL SALE of 1000 Blouses and Overblouses

Positively the Most Sensational Values We Have Ever Featured! Each Is a Regular Feldman Model - Offered in Most Cases at Far Below the Original Cost—

### Regular \$3.98 to \$5.00 Blouses

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|--|--------|
| Tailored dimitive blouses with Peter Pan collars are made with tiny tucking. On sale Saturday .....                        | \$2.50 |
| Dainty handsome voile and batiste including some Philippine made models. Formerly priced to \$4.98. On sale Saturday ..... | \$2.50 |
| Smart Georgettes in light and dark colors. Some are prettily beaded and embroidered. On sale Saturday .....                | \$2.50 |

### Regular \$5.00 to \$7.50 Blouses

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| Smart satins and crepe de chine in attractive styles, light and dark shades. Formerly up to \$7.50. On sale Saturday ..... | \$3.50 |
| Georgettes of good quality in regulation overblouse style offer new ideas in silk embroidery. On sale Saturday .....       | \$3.50 |
| Other models in Georgette have new ideas in coloring, in cut and in trimming. On sale Saturday .....                       | \$3.50 |

### Regular \$7.50 to \$10.00 Blouses

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|---|--------|
| Blouses that you would never expect to find at such a price. Many in handsome crepe de chine models. Formerly priced \$7.50 to \$10.00. On sale Saturday at ..... | \$4.50 |
| Overblouses of heavy Georgette that bead themselves in unusual ways, two-tone models. Formerly priced \$7.50 to \$10. On sale Saturday at .....                   | \$4.50 |
| Dark toned Georgettes, hand embroidered in original ways, have the newest in neck lines and sleeves. Formerly priced \$7.50 to \$10.00. On sale Saturday at ..... | \$4.50 |

On Sale Blouse Shop—Second Floor

### Large Women

Although these Blouses are not shown in extra sizes, many styles are in sizes up to 46, which will permit many women who require large sizes to make a satisfactory selection and take advantage of the exceptional values offered in this great semi-annual sale.

## What This Sale Means to You

First of all—these Blouses are all from the regular Feldman stock. There is every new style, there is every modish color, there is every clever trimming idea that the season has brought forth.

Take that French imported blouse, for instance, the colors are blended as skillfully and as artistically as a winter sunset. And there were any number of ravishing Georgettes—just one, two or three of a kind, marked way below cost, for the fortunate some bodies who come bright and early Saturday morning.

Come tomorrow expecting to find the most wonderful values you have ever seen at Feldman's, for you will not be disappointed. Come prepared to buy more than one. You will want them as soon as you see them and at these low prices it will be economy to secure a season's supply.

**This Sale Offers Many Suggestions for Xmas Gifts**

### Regular \$10.00 to \$15.00 Blouses

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| A group of Georgette Blouses are rarely lovely with real filet laces and delicate hand embroidery. Formerly up to \$15. On sale Saturday at ..... | \$7.50 |
| Other models of splendid quality Georgette have the unusual trimming of tucked bands of georgette and artistic beading. On sale Saturday .....    | \$7.50 |
| Frilled, embroidered or lace trimmed Georgette Overblouses, may be had in exquisite new styles and colors. On sale Saturday .....                 | \$7.50 |

### Regular \$15.00 to \$22.50 Blouses

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| Costume blouses in allover beaded models have elaborate motifs worked out in crystal and colored beading, formerly up to \$22.50. On sale Saturday ..... | \$10.00 |
| Two color blouses of heaviest georgette make a whole costume when worn with a separate skirt. On sale Saturday .....                                     | \$10.00 |
| Charming afternoon types in overblouse style are wonderfully embroidered and beaded. On sale Saturday .....  | \$10.00 |

### Regular \$20 to \$30 Blouses

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| Imported French Blouses of georgettes and crepe de chine with exquisite crepe de chine all over beading. Formerly up to \$30. On sale Saturday .....  | \$14.95 |
| Costume Blouses—exquisite affairs in heavy georgette—beautiful lace and hand work. On sale Saturday .....   | \$14.95 |
| Other wonderful Georgettes in pastel shades, are allover beaded. They are imported French models that are lovely beyond words. On sale Saturday ..... | \$14.95 |

On Sale—Blouse Shop—Second Floor

### Important

These Blouses have been so arranged that there will be no difficulty in making your selection. Our largely augmented staff of Blouse saleswomen will insure prompt and efficient service. However, you are strongly advised to shop early.

**FELDMAN'S**  
221 N. MAIN ST. ESTABLISHED 1887



## SCHOOLS OF LIMA ARE CROWDED

Report Compiled During "Better School Week"

GAIN 1,611 IN SIX YEARS

Comprehensive Statement of Educational Facts

Enrollment in the public schools of Lima during the past six years has far surpassed building facilities, according to a report issued Friday by Superintendent of Schools J. E. Collins.

The increase, which applies to all departments of the public schools is 1,611, or 27 per cent. This increase is equivalent to the necessary number of pupils to occupy space provided in three of the largest schools.

These facts were compiled by Collins after a visit had been made by the principals of all Lima schools to the elementary, social and crippled children's schools, as a feature of the Educational Week of "Better School Week" movement.

**BUILDINGS CROWDED**  
According to Collins, the rapid increase in school enrollment is crowding building facilities. During the past six years the senior high school has grown 64 per cent.

With the schools of the city crowded beyond legal capacity in 1916, that year marked the beginning of a building program to relieve existing conditions and provide for the normal growth in school attendance. Since that date the increase has been 1,611, or from 5,964 to a total for the present year of 7,575. This increase alone is almost equal to the enrollment in any three of our largest elementary buildings, the report states.

At the time of completion of the new buildings three years ago, including South High School, the system was changed from the 8-4 to the 6-6 plan of six years in the grade buildings, and six in the high schools. "This plan of reducing the years in the grades to six relieved the congestion in the grade schools for the time, while the completion of South High gave opportunity to bring the seventh and eighth grades into the two high schools. At that time Central and South were organized on the six-year plan to include both the Junior and Senior high schools.

At the same time this has been a period of marked growth in the population of the city, Collins points out. In comparison the growth in school enrollment of 1,611 is even more marked with the result that the attendance is again up to the legal capacity of the building facilities.

**HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT**  
The first six grades, reflecting more largely the growth in population, show a gain of 776, or 18 per cent. The gain for the seventh and

eighth grades now known as the Junior high school has been 295, or 31 per cent, while the Senior high school covering the last four years of the course has gained 540, or 64 per cent. It is evident that the popularity of the Junior high school, together with the proximity of South High to the students in that part of the city and the extension of the elective system to meet the needs of vocational and commercial students at both schools have increased the holding power through the high school years. As a result both high schools at the present time are housing pupils beyond their normal capacity. The total enrollment at Central is 1,537; at South High 1,927.

The report prepared by Collins further reads:

"During this same period the night school has been organized as a permanent part of the school system under state and federal aid, such funds for both the day and evening vocational classes bring annually approximately \$10,000. At the present time the enrollment in the night schools at Central and South and in local industries is about 800. Classes are organized in vocational subjects and Americanization. There is no age limit except that the student must be over 16 and many have been enrolled over 40 years of age. At present 64 women are studying millinery, with three instructors in charge, while 94 are taking courses in dressmaking. Classes are organized in cooking as well as the various commercial subjects. Among the vocational classes for men the largest is automobile construction and repair with 68 under four instructors. The class in electricity is almost as large, while 68 under 18 years of age are taking the night courses in Junior high school subjects.

**SPECIAL SCHOOLS**  
"Five years ago the first special school for overage or retarded pupils was organized. At the present time there are eight. Four of these are for the younger children found in the lower grades, and are located at the Garfield, Horace Mann, Whitaker and Lincoln schools. Two for overage 5-6 grade girls, with emphasis on the home-making courses, are in the Garfield and Whitaker buildings, while two schools for overage 5-6 grade boys in pre-vocational or manual courses are located in the Central and Whitaker buildings.

"In addition to these eight special schools organized in the past five years, a special school for crippled children was organized last September. At present the Board of Education receives up to \$300 per child or a total of \$4,500 for the year from the state for transportation, instruction and mid-day luncheon of these 15 crippled children. Through the work of the Lima Rotary Club many of these received surgical and other treatment with braces and crutches making them physically fit to attend school, with similar service to many other crippled children who have attended the regular grade schools.

"In addition the schools have had the cooperation of many social and child welfare associations and individuals in bettering the conditions of school children.

"The recent generous approval by the parents themselves on November 8th in voting three mills for a period of five years must be accepted as the one outstanding event of the year in

school support. With this confidence and pledge of loyal support by the people of the city—the parents of the boys and girls—every teacher must feel it as her duty and pleasure to be of the largest possible service to the schools now and in the years to come; and the Board of Education will find it possible to continue to maintain the schools in the interest of every boy and girl enrolled, whether in the elementary or high schools or the special classes.

"Likewise in presenting the merits of the millage levy, as well as in all other matters of educational welfare the schools have appreciated the helpful attitude on the part of the local press, in presenting the issues in the interest of a progressive, efficient administration of school affairs.

**PARENTS COOPERATE**

"It is naturally pleasing to those in the schools to enjoy the support and cooperation of parents and the community generally to such a marked degree. On the other hand it must be equally gratifying to parents and those who support the schools to know that the Lima system is maintained on a conservative basis of cost as compared with other cities. The salaries of our 222 teachers are but average for the cities of the state, the local school bonded indebtedness is among the lowest of the State being but \$549,700 aside from the deficiency bonds, while the school indebtedness of Hamilton, the next city below us in size, is \$719,000 and Lakewood next above us has a school indebtedness of \$3,629,000.

"In matters of school attendance less than three per cent of the homes show a disregard for regular and prompt attendance. Under prevailing industrial and economic conditions the schools have noted with appreciation the special effort being made this year to keep children in regular attendance. In meeting the conditions which all hope to be but temporary school officials have extended such aid as might alleviate conditions, in order that the schools may be available to all children within school age.

"In the spirit that prompted "Better School Week" as a national observance, it is to be hoped that thru continued cooperation and mutual understanding the schools and the homes of Lima, with other cooperative agencies, may come to a fuller realization year by year of the largest possible service to every youth enrolled in our city schools."

## INSURANCE UNION ELECTS OFFICERS

Harry Leidner is the new president of Buckeye Chapter No. 716, A. I. U. Other officers are Mrs. Gerding, vice-president; Belle Glaze, secretary; Norma Fanchler, cashier; B. A. Mann, treasurer; A. D. Miller, past president; Grover Fanchler, editor; Melvin Mann, marshal; Mrs. McClain, custodian; Raula Mann, warden; Ethel Shobe, chaplain; Mr. Garsinger, arguer; Mrs. Lerch, trustee; Mrs. Bernice Guss, musician, and Mrs. Longworth, team captain.

## FAMILY SLEEPS ON BURTON-ON-TRENT, ENG.

A burglar entered a home here while the family was asleep. Two policemen followed and caught the intruder. But the family did not know of the incident until the next morning.

## SELF RELIANCE GOES BANKRUPT

Thin Blood Saps Energy  
Gude's Pepto-Mangan Rebuilds the Blood

Wrestling with a weakened condition of the blood is a desperate struggle. Thin, watery blood deprives the body of energy and causes a played-out feeling not unlike utter exhaustion. A man with weak blood has not the full use of his powers. He lacks decision, and vacillates until he loses self-confidence.

Some men and women too, go faltering along for months scarcely realizing that they need Gude's Pepto-Mangan, the blood builder. But when they have taken it for a while, what a difference there is in the feelings! The old-time vigor and the red-blooded hue of good health return. The new rich blood health return. Physicians have prescribed Gude's Pepto-Mangan for years as a blood-builder. Drug-gists sell it in liquid and tablet form. Look for the name "Gude's Pepto-Mangan" on the package.

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## FREE! FREE!

A Free Ticket for Lyric Theatre will be given away to customers on Opening Day—Opening Tonight and Saturday.

## THE OWL LUNCH

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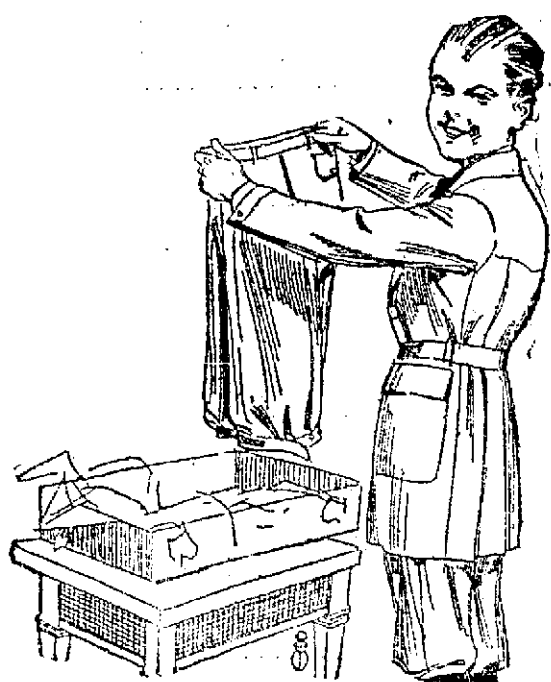
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Another

## Combination Sale

Two-Pant Suit and Mackinaw



Both for \$15<sup>50</sup>

These Suits are made of all-wool fabrics in latest of models; yoke back, belt all around, and both pair of pants are full lined. Such a kind of a Suit would cost \$12 to \$13.50. Mackinaws of latest heavy plaid Mackinaw material. Every Mackinaw has four pockets, two muff pockets and two flap pockets. These Coats were made to sell at \$8.00.

Sizes 8 to 18 Years.

**Michael's**  
HOUSE OF BETTER CLOTHES



## There Are Notable Money-Saving Offerings in Our Garment Section

An Unusual Choice of

Fur Coats

Specially Priced at

\$95

Featuring fur coats at this price is like selling them for the proverbial song. The price is ridiculously low for the quality of the coats, as you will agree.

Cloth Coats  
Stunning Styles

\$28

This is a group of coats of much more than usual appeal. They upset those preconceived ideas of what prices on coats such as these would ordinarily be. We have marked them at the lowest possible price in order to see them sold quickly.

Coats

At \$10.95 we have grouped a number of higher priced stylish winter coats. A price such as this does not occur often even in the end of the season sales. The coats included all smart model sin a wide range of styles and fabrics.

\$10<sup>95</sup>

Slip-Over  
Sweaters \$1<sup>49</sup>

(Seconds)

If you will overlook a slight imperfection in this lot of slip-on sweaters you will find a tremendous value in this special for Saturday.

Velvet Hats \$2

our choice of a selection of smart, stylish velvet hats that have been priced many dollars more, for Saturday at .....

Dresses

Among these silk, serge and tricot dresses you will surely find a becoming style—they are all so good looking and varied in style. And such large reductions have been made, you will not hesitate to purchase at ...

\$10.95

**Gordon's**  
22 N. MARKET

## Silk Lingerie Makes a Dainty and Personal Gift

An almost boundless collection of charming gift suggestions is presented in our Undergarment Section.

Bloomers Chemise  
Vests Camisoles Gowns

Our selection at this Christmas time of dainty silk undergarments was never so complete or so attractively charming. There is a profusion of garments any one or more of which will delight a lady.

The prices are so equally attractive that you will not be able to resist buying a quantity for yourself and it would indeed be a wise and economical thing to do at these extremely low prices. The prices of such compelling interest that you will realize the importance of buying now for the future.

The fabrics of excellent quality and each garment is beautifully made. Some are plain tailored while others are fancifully trimmed.

You can solve many gift problems in this section.

A Saturday Special

WOOL HOSE 50<sup>c</sup>

(Damaged)

Here is a special that will have strong appeal to the economically inclined. True they are slightly damaged but these imperfections will not decrease the wearing qualities. There are only 4 dozen pairs in the lot and they will not last long at the price.

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75,000 JEWELS



Mrs. Smith-Wilkinson, who plans to leave America with her costly wardrobe, caused a sensation at the "Yuletide Ball in London. She literally "blew" her way into the "Prize of Wales" box wearing 75,000 diamonds and pearls insured for \$5,000,000.

**WARREN YOUNG MAN IS TRAPPED BY PRETTY FACE**

WARREN—The magnetism of a pretty face accomplished what the watchfulness of the police could not do when a 16-year-old Warren was captured charged with molesting women here during the last six months.

The "pretty face" was owned by Floyd Parlee, a man who appeared here as a woman impersonator.

**LIMA HOTEL COMPANY IS INCORPORATED; \$60,000**

Incorporation of the Lima Hotel company, now operating the Lima House, has been made at Columbus. Incorporators are Sig Lester and his wife, Mrs. Mildred Lester; H. B. Friedman and Mrs. Wegera Friedman, his wife, and H. O. Bentley. The capital stock of the company is set at \$60,000.

**Lack of Vitamines In Our Daily Food**

Cause Thin, Weak, Run-down Conditions

Dr. Harrow of Columbia University says "Vitamines in Food Necessary to Sustain Life."

**Science Finds a Perfect Vitamine Food**

For the first time on record, a perfectly balanced Vitamine Tonic Food is offered the people of Lima with its efficacy scientifically proven in one of our oldest and best known Medical Colleges in this country.

SUSTO is the name of this preparation. It is a combination in convenient tablet form of the nutritive and growth-promoting properties of Milk, Yeast, Rice, Eggs and Beef, together with Beef Protein, Nuclein and Iron.

Its composition being based on medical experience and the latest discoveries in nutrition, there was reason to believe it would meet the widespread need for a dependable reconstructive in cases of malnutrition, under-development of children, certain forms of anaemia, general debility, blood impoverishment and loss of weight and as an aid for convalescents. Yet, accepting the responsibility connected with offering it for general use, the makers of SUSTO decided to secure indisputable proof of its actual value.

So, the preparation was submitted to Dr. Philip B. Hawk, Professor of Physiology, Chemistry of Medical College, Philadelphia, with instructions to definitely ascertain its worth in the most conclusive ways known to science.

Under his personal supervision the formula was perfected and subjected to a series of therapeutic and feeding tests on normal and sick human beings, with unusual success in every instance.

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Every Sweater in the house is included in this special price reduction—Slip-overs—Sweater Coats—Jersey Sweaters—"Travelers" Cardigan Jackets—Sweaters for Boys—Children—Young Men and Men.

\$2.50 Boys' Jersey Sweaters	\$1.87
\$5.75 Boys' All Wool Slip-Over Sweaters	\$4.31
\$5.00 Children's Sweaters	\$3.75
\$6.50 Children's Sweaters	\$4.87
\$8.50 Boys' Slip-over and Coat Sweaters	\$6.37
\$6.50 Men's Slip-over Sweaters	\$4.87
\$10.50 Men's Slip-Over Sweaters	\$7.87
\$12.00 Men's Sweater Coats	\$9.00

**SCARFS**

At 15 Per Cent Discount

A beautiful Muffler is always appreciated at Xmas time—Just think of it—there isn't a day all Winter that a Man doesn't wear one. And here's the finest selection to choose from.

\$1.27 to \$6.37

**HANDKERCHIEFS**

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Cotton Handkerchiefs—in White—colored borders and colored centers—Plain or initial.

8c to 85c

**FLANNEL SHIRTS**

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Include one or two of these among your list of gifts for Father, brother or friend—nothing more pleasing—We've all colors—besides small pin checks and plain white.

\$1.10 to \$8.50

**SILK SHIRTS**

At 15 Per Cent Discount

You'll find here only those kind of Silk Shirts that show careful choice—shirts that distinguish the fastidious dresser—Jersey Silks—Crepes de Chine—Trutone—Fibres—Broadcloths.

\$4.80 to \$8.29

**HOSIERY**

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Here are all the best quality Woolens, Camel's hair, Silk, Cotton and Lisle Hosiery for men—all the standard makes—in Black and plain colors—heather shades and two-tone effects—Plain and embroidered socks.

21c to \$1.91

**GLOVES**

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Fine Cape Gloves—Suedes—Moccas—Chamois—Silk—Buckskin—Kidskin—in Browns—Greys—Blacks—Tans—Beaver—Natural and White—Spear and embroidered backs—plain or lined with silk—wool-knit and fleece.

\$1.27 to \$4.25

**BATH ROBES**

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Hang up one of these Lounging Robes where he'll see it the minute he enters the room—and watch his eyes light up with appreciation. Blanket Robes and Silk House Coats—slippers to match.

\$6.80 to \$27.62

**BELTS AND BUCKLES**

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Nowhere in the city will you find a finer collection of new Belts and initial belt buckles than right here—and where is the man or boy who wouldn't appreciate one of them among his gifts.

42c to \$2.97

**PAJAMAS**

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Glover's "Brighton-Carlbad" Night Shirts, Pajamas and Pajunions—in White or fancy Flannel-ette, Daisy Cloth, Pongee Mercerized and silk fabrics—a wonderful collection.

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**SUIT and OVERCOAT**

Stocks were never better than they are right now and prices are lower than you would expect them to be. You'll appreciate these values as soon as you know them. Our manufacturing department has joined us in an effort to get as much excellence as possible into these clothes. In design, in hand-needwork, in coloring, pattern or weave, nothing has been omitted that will give you extreme value for your money.

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\$22.50 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$19.12
\$25.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$21.25
\$27.50 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$23.37
\$29.75 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$25.29
\$35.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$29.75
\$39.75 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$33.79
\$45.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$38.25

**20 Percent Discount**

Prices

\$22.50 SUITS—NOW	\$18.00
\$25.00 SUITS—NOW	\$20.00
\$27.50 SUITS—NOW	\$22.00
\$29.75 SUITS—NOW	\$23.80
\$35.00 SUITS—NOW	\$28.00
\$39.75 SUITS—NOW	\$31.80
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Good News for Holiday Shoppers  
**20 Per Cent Discount**

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New patterns in fine quality Portale—Madras—French, English and Russian Corded materials—Fibre Silks—Silk Broadcloths—Trutone silks—Crepes de Chine—Silk Jerseys, etc.—Never so many shirts to choose from—

\$1.00 SHIRTS—Now	\$ .80
\$1.50 SHIRTS—Now	\$1.20
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\$3.00 SHIRTS—Now	\$2.40
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\$4.00 SHIRTS—Now	\$3.20
\$6.00 SHIRTS—Now	\$4.80
\$7.50 SHIRTS—Now	\$6.37
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Now is the time to outfit the boy with warm suitable apparel for the long Winter days ahead—Nowhere will you find a more comprehensive display of well made Suits, Overcoats and Mackinaws than right here in our specialty department for boys.

\$ 6.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$ 5.52
\$ 8.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$ 7.22
\$10.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$ 8.50
\$12.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$10.20
\$15.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$12.75
\$16.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$14.02
\$ 7.50 Boys' Mackinaws	\$ 6.37
\$ 8.50 Boys' Mackinaws	\$ 7.22

**UNDERWEAR**

At 15 Percent Discount

\$1.00 Men's Cotton Ribbed Union Suits	\$ .85
\$1.25 Men's Cotton Ribbed Union Suits	\$1.06
\$1.35 Men's Fleece Lined Union Suits	\$1.15
\$1.75 Men's Cotton Ribbed Union Suits	\$1.49
\$1.75 Men's "High Ribbed" Fleece Union Suits	\$1.49
\$1.75 Men's Part Wool Union Suits	\$1.49
\$3.00 Men's Woolen Union Suits	\$2.25
\$2.25 "Lambdown" Fleece Union Suits	\$1.91
\$4.00 Men's Woolen Union Suits	\$3.40
\$6.50 Men's Woolen Union Suits	\$5.52
\$8.50 Men's All-Wool Union Suits	\$7.22



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## WHEAT OUTLOOK IN U. S. FAVORABLE

Drought Prevails, However, in Lower Plains Region

NOT GOOD IN WEST EUROPE

Conditions in Argentina Continue to Improve

WASHINGTON — (By Associated Press) — The seeding of winter grains is now practically completed throughout the Northern Hemisphere according to reports received by the Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates, United States Department of Agriculture.

"The seeding of all winter cereals has been hindered by drought throughout western and Great Britain, and irregular stands and growth reported," the Bureau states. "The wheat supply has been plentiful throughout central Europe, and the present outlook for all winter grains is good. The drought in North Africa still prevails, according to latest reports, and rain is greatly needed to facilitate seeding and germination. The seeding of winter wheat is progressing under favorable conditions in British India and the crop is germinating well. A good acreage is expected."

**CONDITION IN U. S.**  
"Weather and soil conditions have generally been favorable for the seeding and germination of wheat in Canada, and the crop should enter the winter in good condition. The condition of all wheat is favorable in the United States except in the lower plains region, where the crop has been injured by drought and some late seedings have failed to germinate. Conditions in the western states have been improved by recent rains."

The condition of wheat in Argentina continues to improve, due to the abundant rains since September 15, which have broken the long drought. As conditions were very unfavorable during the normal seeding period, much of the grain has been sown unusually late and the prospects of grain sown as late as this are generally poor. If present favorable conditions continue, however, a normal crop of better may be expected. The acreage as given by the Argentine Government for the year 1921-22, is 13,927,000 acres compared with 11,957,000 in 1920-21.

**AUSTRALIA OUTLOOK**  
"Plentiful rain continues to be reported from the various grain-growing districts of Australia, and the crop outlook is quite favorable and equal to that of last year. A preliminary estimate places the Australian wheat crop for 1921-22 at 146,600,000 bushels, compared with 145,223,000 bushels in 1920-21. Good rains have been reported in South Africa, especially from those portions of the Cape where the bulk of the wheat is grown."

## MOTHER!

Open Child's Bowels with "California Fig Syrup"



Hurry Mother! A teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" now will thoroughly clean the little bowels and in a few hours you can have a well, playful child again. Even a cross, fussy, constipated child loves its "fruity" taste, and mothers are reassured because it never fails to work all the sour bile and poisons right out of the stomach and bowels without griping or upsetting the child. Tell your druggist you want only the genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on the bottle. Mother you must say "California." Refuse an imitation.—Adv.

**ARE YOU WEAK?**  
Beauty and Health Go Hand in Hand. Read This:

Madison Ohio — "I am writing to state that I have used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for a weak rundown condition, and have felt a great deal better since going to it. It has done me worlds of good, and I would recommend it to anyone for the above condition."—Miss Martin Tanner.

Health is your most valuable asset. Do not neglect it. Write Dr. Pierce, Pres. of the Invalids' Hotel, in Buffalo, N. Y. all about yourself. You will receive confidential medical advice FREE of all cost, or send 10c for a trial pkg. of tablets.—Adv.

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2nd floor—last door east of Postoffice

## WELTY IN FIGHT FOR CANALS

Former Congressman Attends Washington Hearing

Former Congressman D. F. Welty of this city attended a hearing this week conducted in Washington before the board of engineers for rivers and harbors of the War Department, on the proposed construction of a Lake Erie to Ohio river canal, including the Pittsburgh and Youngs town route.

While it has been announced that a strong case was made for the route under discussion, it is expected by Welty that superior advantages of the Miami and Erie route, which passes thru the western part of Allen Co., will be shown in another meeting of the board to be held in Cincinnati, late in December, or in January, at which time the advocates of three western routes will be heard.

was under a resolution presented by Welty while in Congress that the survey was made by the board of engineers, upon which the recent report of the board and the Washington hearings were based.

"I do not anticipate an immediate report from the board of engineers

favoring an appropriation from Congress," Welty stated, following the hearing. "It appears more likely to me that the board will ask a further appropriation and more time in which to complete a more thorough survey which will embrace the eastern or Pittsburgh-Astabula, and the Miami route. Ultimately, I expect to see both routes used for canal purposes."

## COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Breaks any Cold in Few Hours

Instant Relief! Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every three hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up any cold.

The very first dose opens clogged nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dizziness, feverishness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" acts quick, sure, and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—insist upon Pape's!—Adv.

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We have several single and double rooms for rent. Best of accommodations.  
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The Allen County  
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Christmas  
Checks  
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Rowlands

## To Relieve Catarrh, Catarrhal Deafness And Head Noise

Persons suffering from catarrh of the nose, or who are growing hard of hearing and have head noises will find it to know that this distressing condition can usually be successfully treated at home by an internal use of complete relief after other treatments have failed. Sufferers who cannot hear have had their hearing restored to such an extent that the eight inches away from either ear. Therefore, if you know of someone who is troubled with head noises or catarrhal deafness, cut out this form and send it to them and you may be the means of saving some sufferer perhaps from total deafness. The prescription can be prepared at home and is made as follows:

Secure from your druggist 1 oz. of menthol (Double Strength). Take 1 home and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar, stir up dissolved. Take one tablespoonful 2 times a day.

Permit is used in this way not to reduce by tonic action the inflammation and swelling in the Eustachian Tube and to equalize the pressure on the drum but to correct excess of secretions in the middle ear and the results it gives are nearly ways quick and effective. Every person who has catarrh in the nose or distressing running, his sounds in their ears, should give this recipe a trial.—Adv.

Your money is insured by the American Guaranty Company when deposited in The Lima Dime Savings Bank, 180 South Main-st. We pay 5 per cent interest on savings.

# The Great "Thank You" SALE

## An Unusual Sale

**UNUSUAL**—Because it is the first sale we ever held in the many years of P&Q successful merchandising.

**UNUSUAL**—Because every garment will retain the original price-ticket, with the original price—you make your own reduction.

**UNUSUAL**—Because the stock and store interior will remain unchanged, every garment that you see hanging to-day, will hang to-morrow in the same place, when the sale starts. If you are interested in a garment to-day, you can walk in to-morrow, take 20 per cent off to-day's price—that's the whole story!

No Charge for Alterations

But we are compelled to discontinue deliveries during this sale.

The P&Q Shop

## 20 PERCENT DISCOUNT

on every garment in the store without exception or reservation!

## Overcoats, Ulsters, Suits, Fur-Lined Coats, Top Coats and Gabardines

This sale places into your hands P&Q hand-made, all wool garments at factory cost and less.

The sale begins to-morrow, Saturday, December 10th, and is for a limited period only, so come and choose early.

This sale will be conducted without "ifs" or "ands". It will be a plain, straight-forward, bona-fide discount on every garment in this store.

Just walk in! Help yourself! Pick out any garment you want, then pay the salesman 20 per cent less than the price ticket calls for.

## The Reason Why!

WITH THE HOLIDAY spirit at hand, and in grateful consideration of the thousands of loyal customers, we have decided to share a portion of the profits they so generously contributed to our stores in the past years, hence this sale!

TO THOSE WHO ARE not aware of the splendid economies of P&Q Clothes, this will serve as an introduction, which we know will be of mutual benefit—to them now—and to us, by their future patronage.

AND FURTHERMORE—the enormous business which this sale will bring, will help us to carry out our policy of keeping our entire tailoring force employed without a let up, the whole year round.

We intend to make this the greatest absolute bargain event of the decade

DON'T HESITATE look—you're welcome!

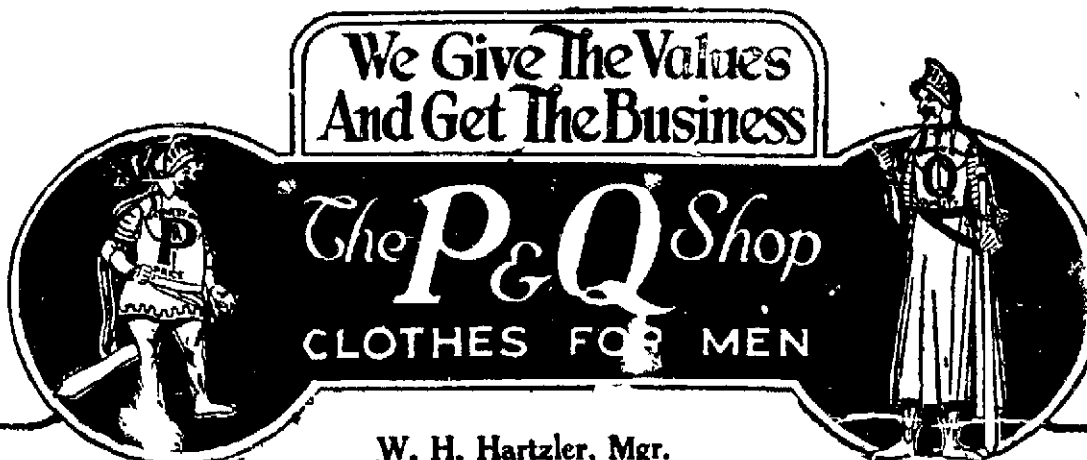
The P&Q Shop

You know, P&Q Clothes are sold direct from our Factory to You. They are always \$10 less than others. With this additional 20 per cent discount we know you have never beheld greater values in hand-tailored clothes—or ever will for a long time to come. Don't lose this chance!

P&Q \$20	Maker-to-Wearer Suits and Overcoats, less 20 per cent are now Priced by ordinary retailers \$30 — actual saving, \$14	\$16
P&Q \$25	Maker-to-Wearer Suits and Overcoats—less 20 per cent are now Priced by ordinary retailers 35 — actual saving \$15	\$20
P&Q \$30	Maker-to-Wearer Suits and Overcoats—less 20 per cent are now Priced by ordinary retailers \$40 — actual saving \$16	\$24
P&Q \$35	Maker-to-Wearer Suits and Overcoats—less 20 per cent are now Priced by ordinary retailers \$45 — actual saving \$17	\$28

This sale will make clothing history in this city-- don't miss it!

34 PUBLIC  
SQUARE  
LIMA



W. H. Hartzler, Mgr.

34 PUBLIC  
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### LEAGUE MEETING TEST IN SAAR

disposition of the commissioners. Altogether the Saar gives a mighty good demonstration of just about the most important thing I've run onto — the huge importance to us all of our daily jobs.

If the League of Nations' officials will keep that in mind and help the coal miners and steel workers of the Saar district to keep happily at work, it will mean a lot for the peace of the world.

There's nothing in the world today that interests the workers of Europe and of America, too — anything like so much as just that.

(Three thousand Chinese have been imported to help rebuild France, Williams tells about it next in The Lima News.)

### ACTS AS ATTORNEY IN OWN CASE; IS JAILED

WAPAKONETA — Acting as his own attorney, John Kuhlman, former Minister grocer, on trial in the court of R. G. Herrmann, justice of the peace here on a charge of failing to send his 14 year old daughter to school, was found guilty by a jury in 30 minutes. Justice Herrmann sentenced Kuhlman to jail for 30 days and to pay a fine of \$200.

### MAY END STRIKE

CLEVELAND — A meeting of the milk wagon drivers and chauffeurs' union has been called for tonight when a compromise proposition, drawn up by a special committee of city council, will be submitted in the hopes of settling the strike of 800 employees of the Telling Belle-Vernon Company, which has been in effect here for more than a month.

Rummage Sale at Court House Saturday.

### BARON CASE WILL GO TO JURY LATE TODAY

CLEVELAND — The case of Moe H. Baron, wealthy Brooklyn cafe owner, and the Simon and Hyman Barnett of Pittsburgh, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government in the alleged illegal shipment of whiskey from Pittsburgh to Youngstown, will go to the jury late afternoon. Taking of evidence was concluded yesterday.

When court opened, Assistant United States District Attorney Joseph C. Breitenstein was prepared to sum up the government's case. Breitenstein contends that Baron withdrew liquor from a Pittsburgh warehouse to be sold in Youngstown for beverage purposes. A shipment of 500 cases was seized by Youngstown police.

Baron's counsel deny the conspiracy charge. They claim Baron withdrew the whiskey to be transported to Brooklyn for medicinal purposes.

WAPAKONETA — Late W. Kneenning, postmaster of New Bremen, whose term is soon to expire and who intended taking the civil service test as a candidate for reappointment, has withdrawn from the race and will move to this city, to become secretary of the City Loan & Savings company.

### DEMAND TRAINS BE RESTORED

ST. MARYS — A resolution was adopted in the chamber of commerce here, calling upon the L. E. & W. Railroad company to restore two passenger trains recently eliminated from the daily schedule. All commercial organizations along the line between Sandusky and Muncie are being requested to cooperate in the demand.

### LIMA OFFICERS NAMED FOR INFANTRY SERVICE

Two Lima officers have received appointments to the 332nd Infantry and are included in the personnel named by Colonel G. H. Davis, Columbus, who is organizing the 83rd Division, reserves, it was announced Friday.

Major Carl D. Crites and Captain Leonard Vogel are the Lima men to receive appointments. Major Raymond C. Leslie, Paulding, was also assigned to the 332nd Infantry.

### RECOVERS FROM PNEUMONIA

Mrs. W. J. Schafer, 455 W. McElhenny-st., taken to St. Rita's hospital ten days ago, suffering from pneumonia, had so far recovered Thursday she was removed to her home.

### GET YOUR CHRISTMAS VICTOR RECORDS AT ROWLANDS—LARGEST STOCK OF ALL VICTOR RECORDS.

We pay 5 per cent on savings. The Lima Mine Savings Bank, 130 South Main-st.

### ARRAIGN ALLEGED AUTO THIEF THIS AFTERNOON

Pascal Machall, 23, of 809 Racine-av., Chicago, was brought back to Lima early Friday morning to face a charge of stealing a Buick touring car from R. G. Barnhardt. He was in custody of Patrolman J. W. Keller, who secured the prisoner on extradition papers signed by the governors of Ohio and Illinois.

Machall denies connection with the case and says he was never in Lima before. He was arrested by the Chicago police. He is to be arraigned late Friday it is announced.

### BESSE COPELAND IS NEW REBEKAH HEAD

Following are the officers chosen by members of the Shawnee Rebekah Lodge No. 280 for the year: Besse Copeland, noble grand; Rose Shingledacker, vice-grand; Minta Bolton, recording secretary; Etta Yoakum, financial secretary; Osa Crist, treasurer; Isabelle Long, trustee; Belle Rike, deputy president; Nellie Albridge, pianist, and Anna Alexander, team captain.

### TONG SEEKS PEACE


SACRAMENTO, Calif. — The general spirit of arms limitation found echo here today. The Bing Kong Tong, one of the strongest Chinese organizations, in a resolution asked all other Tong to co-operate in maintaining peace. The resolution declare no more Tong wars should be tolerated in California.



"Bayer" on Genuine Aspirin—say "Bayer"

Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on the package or on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for forty-one years and proved safe by millions. Take Aspirin only as told in the Bayer package for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago and for Pain. All druggists sell Bayer Tablets of Aspirin in handy tin boxes at 12 and in bottles of 24 and 100. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monaceticacidester of Salicylicacid. Adv.

## Release Her From Wash Day Slavery---Give Her a "1900" for Xmas



What happiness there will be in her heart to learn that out of loving consideration for her, you have ended her last day of wash-day drudgery this Christmas through the gift of a "1900" Electric Laundry.

"1900" prices are down to the lowest level in recent years. The washers and ironers themselves are the finest ever produced—all bear the evidence of the long successful experience of their makers. You run no risk of purchasing an "orphan"—a washer or ironer whose makers will not be in business later to stand behind their product—when you decide on a "1900". Solidly backed by the big \$10,000,000 "1900" factory, as well as by ourselves, "1900's" will always have responsible "parents" behind them.

Come in and see our display of Christmas Specials!

### "1900" LAUNDRY TEAM

PAY IN SMALL SUMS MONTHLY NEXT YEAR.

Let's have a "1900" for Christmas delivery now by making a small deposit. Remaining payments will be conveniently spread over the coming year. The savings each month will fully meet these payments—so a "1900" really costs nothing to buy. Call for demonstration and let us talk it over—wholly without obligation.

## Robert P. Jones, Hdw.

J. EDW. DIENST, Factory Representative. 59 PUBLIC SQUARE MAIN 4858

## THE HARVARD CLOTHES SHOP EAST MARKET AND UNION STS.

# Great No Profit Sale! Suits and O'Coats

All Our \$30 to \$45 Suits and O'Coats \$28<sup>75</sup>

All our Higher Priced Men's Suits and Overcoats—nothing reserved—have been reduced to \$28.75. We'll save you money. Buy your Suit to-morrow.

### Suits and O'Coats

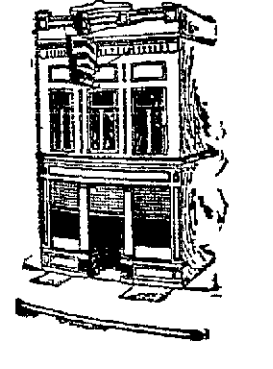
This lot includes wonderful values that you will surely appreciate — many styles and fabrics.

SUITS AND O'COATS \$18 <sup>75</sup>	SUITS AND O'COATS \$14 <sup>75</sup>	- 23 - ODD O'COATS \$8 <sup>75</sup>
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A fine lot of Suits and Overcoats in the newest styles—splendid tailoring.

You'll be surprised when you see the Suits and Overcoats we're displaying at this price—\$14.75.

While they last we offer the remaining stock of Overcoats at \$8.75.



# 5%

## The Time, the Place and the Way

Time. The time to save money is when you get it. Don't wait. Tomorrow brings temptation.

Place. The place to put your money is in this Building and Loan, where you have the two things needful, Safety and Profit.

Way. The way to do this is to DO IT. Don't hesitate.

Bring in your Christmas Saving Check and start a Savings Account that will pay you 5%.

### South Side Building & Loan Association

128 W. HIGH ST.

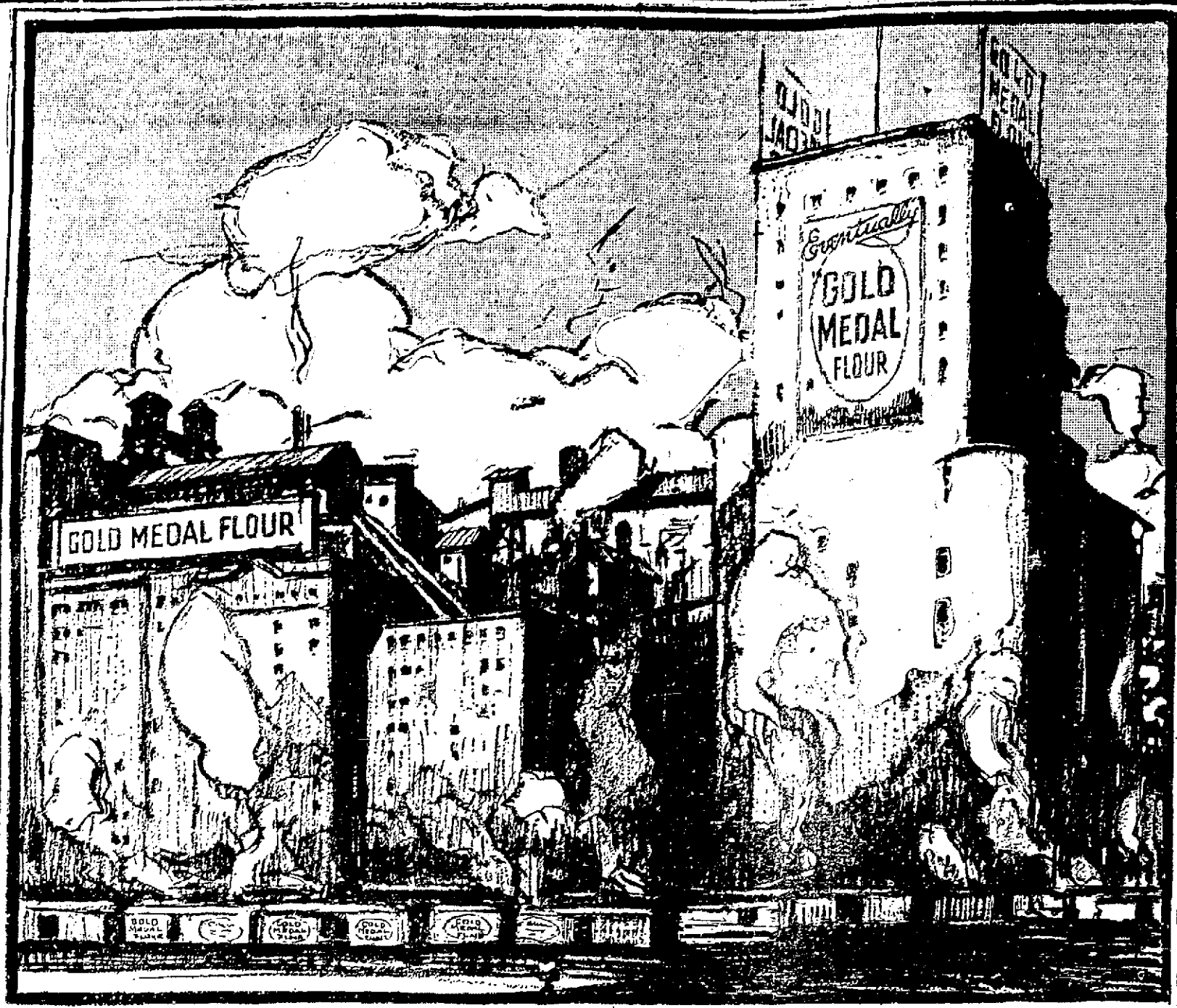
## Bargains Practical Gifts for Men That Will Be Appreciated! Men!

<b>SILK HOSE</b> 49c Pr. Regular 75c Value	<b>SILK TIES</b> 39c 50c Values	<b>KNIT TIES</b> 69c \$1.00 Values	 <p>Hundreds of Other Gifts</p>
<b>UNION SUITS</b> \$2.29 All Wool and First Quality	<b>KID GLOVES</b> \$1.98 Lined and Unlined	<b>Men's Overalls</b> 79c Regular \$1.25 Values	
<b>DRESS SHIRTS</b> 85c Up In Attractive Patterns	<b>FELT HATS</b> \$2.79 \$3 and \$3.50 Values	<b>SILK SHIRTS</b> \$3.79 \$5 and \$6.50 Values	
<b>DRESS SOX</b> 17c Pr. Also 29c Pair	<b>WOOL SHIRTS</b> \$1.98 \$3 and \$3.50 Values	<b>VESTS</b> \$3 to \$4.50	
<b>SHEEP SKIN LINED COATS \$10<sup>75</sup></b> Warm Sheep Skin Lined Coats—well made and exceptional values at			

## The Harvard Clothes Shop EAST MARKET AND UNION STREETS



By constantly making Gold Medal Flour better the Washburn-Crosby Company has been able to build the largest and best equipped mills in the world.



## Gold Medal quality made the biggest mills in the world

To grow in fifty-six years—less than a single life-time—from a little flour mill out in the western wilderness to the world's largest milling organization, calls for something more than mere money and hard work. That something is public demand.

From the beginning, one dominating policy has governed the making of Gold Medal Flour. That policy is that each year's milling must be the best that year can produce.

Year by year more people recognized the quality of Gold Medal Flour and used it in ever increasing quantity. This demand has given the Washburn-Crosby Company the facilities that have made possible a quality of flour and a service to the public which

has never before been equaled.

Washburn-Crosby's wheat buyers comb the markets for the choicest wheat. Mammoth storage elevators enable them to store it in great quantities.

Completely equipped laboratories and an experimental mill are working unceasingly to keep Gold Medal Flour up to the highest standard.

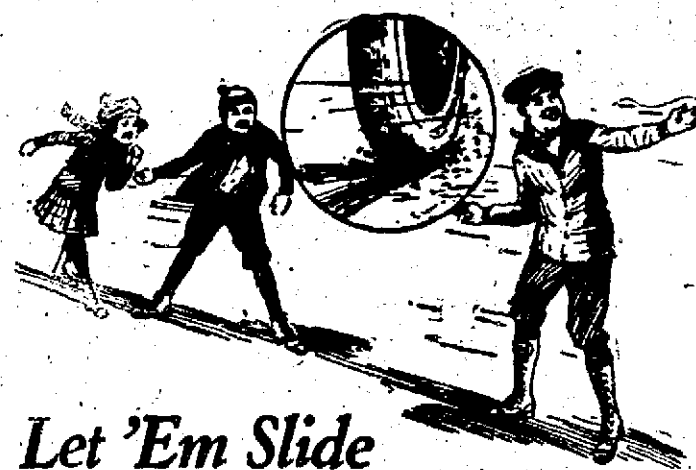
A great system of distributing warehouses and swift delivery trucks brings Gold Medal Flour to grocers and bakers.

So it is the quality of Gold Medal Flour and the enormous demand which has built the biggest mills in the world and is giving you flour of a quality only made possible by that demand.

Washburn-Crosby Company  
Mills at Minneapolis and Buffalo



# GOLD MEDAL FLOUR



Let 'Em Slide

E-J Shoes will Stand the Wear



Melting ice rots any leather which is not made to withstand it. Friction does the rest.

But the leather in E-J's is different. It is made from tough selected hides tanned by special processes in the E-J tanneries. Staunch soles, reinforced tips, expert sewing all go into the making of E-J Children's Shoes. That's why they are so durable.

E-J Shoes for Men, Women and Children are famous everywhere.

For Boys and Girls in Black or Brown  
From \$2.00 to \$3.50  
according to size

ENDICOTT-JOHNSON  
SHOES



Packing House, Peoria, Ill.

Main Office, Chicago, Ill.

**Buehler Bros**  
CUT RATE MARKETS

20 PUBLIC SQUARE

NEXT TO RIALTO THEATRE

## SATURDAY SPECIALS

Here are some more of Buehler Bros.' genuine bargain prices that cannot be duplicated in the city for fancy selected meats like we have for this Big Sale.

Sliced Fresh LIVER	6C lb	Fresh Tender BOIL BEEF	8C lb
Small Fresh HEARTS	6C lb	Meaty	
Fresh Meaty VEAL	10C lb	Fresh Made Hamburg STEAK	12C lb
Pocket ROAST	10C lb	Fresh Calf HAMS to Roast	12C lb
Tall Can MILK	10C lb	Our Own Make Fresh PORK SAUSAGE	15C lb
Center Cut CHUCK ROAST	12C lb	Shoulder VEAL to Roast	15C lb
Very little bone.		Fresh Tender SIRLOIN STEAK	19C lb
Fresh Tender CHUCK STEAK	16C lb	Tender Small STEAKS	19C lb
Fresh Shoulder VEAL CHOPS	16C lb	Fine LOIN PORK	20C lb
Mild Sugar Cured SMOKED HAMS	19C lb	Roast	
Half or Whole			

65 Busy White Markets in 15 States

All meats U. S. Government inspected. All purchases guaranteed or your money returned to you just as cheerfully as you left it when you made your purchase.

## Money-Saving Bargains at Market House Mills Saturday

Blue Ribbon Flour	90c
New Corn Meal, 4 lb. sack	10c
Williamson's Best (Kansas) Flour	\$1.15
Rosebud Scratch Feed, 100 lbs.	\$2.00
Rosebud Buttermilk Mash, per 100 lbs.	\$2.75
Cracked Corn, per 100 lbs.	\$1.50
Chop Feed, 48 lb. bag	75c
Wheat Bran, 50 lbs.	80c
Wheat Middlings, 100 lbs.	\$1.80
New Buckwheat Flour	5c lb.
Conkey's Poultry Tonic, box	25c and 50c
Union Dairy Feed, 100 lbs.	\$1.75
Preferred Pancake or Buckwheat Flour	15c

MAIN 2948

WE DELIVER

NO. 2 ROWLANDS AVE.

## GET YOUR Christmas Checks CASHED AT Rowlands

**MONEY TO LOAN** At lowest rates

on real or personal property.

Any amount, straight time or monthly payments.

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OPERATED BY LIMA BUSINESS MEN  
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## GREENSBURG MACHINIST DROPS, A THOUSAND DOLLARS EASY

Spent His Money Uselessly Trying Different Remedies to Rid Himself of Digestive Troubles, But Had No Success Until He tried Nerv-Worth, and This Soon Ended Indigestion.

"I have spent at least a thousand dollars in an endeavor to rid myself of indigestion and stomach trouble, which I have had for 20 years, but got no results. My stomach and digestion, together with extreme nervousness, caused me to lose much valuable time. For the last 11 years I have been a machinist foreman of the Kelly-Jones Co., of Greensburg, and my time was worth money. I was compelled to lay off 10 weeks not long ago. Doctors said they could give me only temporary relief. Finally I saw Nerv-Worth advertised, and determined to try it, and I am glad to say that now after using only part of a bottle, I am no longer troubled with indigestion or nervousness, and I have gained in weight instead of losing weight as formerly. I can eat anything I want when I want it, and it thoroughly agrees with me. I most cheerfully recommend Nerv-Worth to all, for it has done more than the makers claimed for it." Thus wrote J. P. Smith, who resides at 122 N. Maple A. e., Greensburg, Pa. You will find that if you suffer as Mr. Smith suffered, Nerv-Worth will quickly give you health. It will aid and benefit your whole digestive system, relieve your nervous condition, and tone and invigorate you throughout. If it doesn't benefit you after you have taken your first bottle, your money will be refunded. Nerv-Worth is now \$1.00 per bottle. Sold on a money-back guarantee. Nerv-Worth is sold and recommended by Hunter's Drug Stores, Lima, C. M. Young, Van Wert; Gasson's Drug Store, Lima; Drug Store, Kenton; Fowler's Pharmacy, Bellefontaine; Minzel's, Delphos; King & Staikamp, Delphos.

## PEERLESS Cash Grocery

PHONE HIGH 1863

305 S. MAIN ST.

10 Bars P & G Soap (Our Star)	58c	5 Boxes Matches	25c
10 Bars	40c	4 Gallon Kero	48c
Laundry Soap	40c	2 Lbs. Good Luck Oleo	51c
10 Pounds Sugar (Pure Cane)	58c	2 Lbs. Our Best Nut Oleo	45c
5 Lbs. Special 30c Coffee	\$1.00	5 Lbs. Lean Bacon	\$1.00
Gallon Pure Apple Butter	90c	10 Lbs. Pure Buckwheat Flour	45c
Old Reliable Coffee	29c	24 Lb. Sack Flour	75c



**DEATH ROW HIGH MARK REACHED**

New Record Set in Number of Ohio's Doomed Men

**10 TO DIE IN ELECTRIC CHAIR**

Seven to Pay Supreme Penalty Within Three Months

**COLUMBUS.** — (By Associated Press.)—Population of the "death row" at the Ohio penitentiary has reached the record mark set recently—10. Seven men in the "an-ner" unless reprieved, of the present population, will step thru the green door to oblivion; three have been granted indefinite re-leases, but they still occupy cells in the annex, and are counted on among its population.

Case before the number of men waiting to be electrocuted reached 14, and that was considered an un-usually high mark.

Roy Chamblin of Portsmouth, who recently murdered John New-man and Louise Dorio, and Samuel Purpera, youthful Cleveland payroll bandit, charged with being implicat-ed in the Sly-Fanner payroll rob-bery, are perhaps the most notorious of the seven men awaiting death.

**SMUGGLE ATTEMPTED**

Penitentiary officials just the oth-er week frustrated an attempt on the part of Purpera's sister to smuggle a gun in to him.

"There probably would have been some widows around here, if we hadn't got the gun," said Frank Howell, secretary to Warden Thomas. "Purpera had nothing to lose and everything to gain."

Chamblin is slated to be electro-cuted February 24. Purpera will go to his death February 10, unless courts or the governor intervene.

Harry Lee Bland, of Meigs-co is to die January 9; John McGuire of Lu-cas-co, February 3; Walter Wallace Wright, Jefferson-co; March 1, and Arthur Harding, Lucas-co, February 24, making a double electrocution on that date. All seven of the elec-trocutions come within the three months January, February and March.

Joe Mack, to have been electro-cuted Oct 3; Charles W. Harbig, Cuyahoga-co, September 20, and Edward Moffett, Summit-co, Septem-ber 30, all have been granted inder-mite stays of execution. Mack was sent up from Summit-co.

**SLOAN'S EASES PAIN RELIEVES THE ACHE**

TORMENTING, agonizing rheu-matic aches are quickly relieved by Sloan's Liniment. Apply it freely and enjoy a comforting sense of warmth. *It penetrates without rubbing.*

Good also for sciatica, lumbago, neuralgia, over-exerted muscles, stiff joints, external aches and pains, back-aches, strains and sprains.

Don't let pain lay you up. Keep Sloan's Liniment handy and at the first sign of an ache or pain, use it, for it certainly does produce results.

At all druggists—35c, 70c, \$1.40.

**Sloan's Liniment** (Pain's enemy)

**COUGHS AND COLDS**

often tenacious, are a drain upon the vital forces.

**SCOTT'S EMULSION** strengthens the whole system and helps drive out the pre-disposing cause.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

**ALSO MAKERS OF**

**KI-MOIDS** (Tablets or Granules) **FOR INDIGESTION**

20-16c

**THREAD-RUBBER Willard INSULATION**

**The Lima Storage Battery Co.**

WILLARD SERVICE STATION  
280 W. ELM—CORNER WEST  
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**MR. AND MRS. LERNER, CHIROPRACTORS**

Graduates of Ross College—3 year course.

Use of photographic X-ray and first aid.

Mr. Lerner has had many years experience as a nurse and is a spe-cialist for women and children.

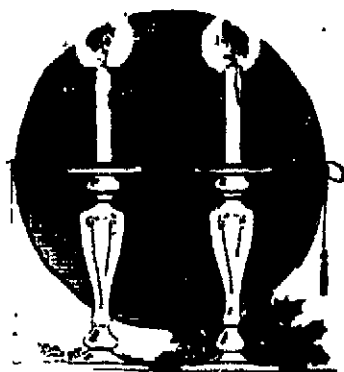
Physiotherapy and spinal analysis free.

We make house calls.

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R. T. GREGG & CO—"WITH CHRISTMAS BUT TWO WEEKS AWAY, THIS STORE WAS NEVER BETTER PREPARED TO SERVE YOU"—R. T. GREGG & CO.




### The Quest for the Perfect Gift Ends Happily at the Gregg Store

It is infinitely easier to select gift-things than it is to think of them—it is easier to come to Gregg's and select as you go from one section of the store to the other than frisksome gift-planning at home with nothing to inspire you.

Come where the complete Christmas book is open and all the gift-pictures are desirable realities that one may choose from. It is ever so much easier than the tiresome, wearisome list-making.

### 25 Per Cent Reduction on all BLOUSES

Priced at \$6.00 or More



Saturday we will offer Holiday Shoppers a special reduction of 25% on all Silk Costume Blouses. These are the handsome models you have admired in the window and department displays. Beautiful Beaded Blouses—Blouses of heavy Georgette—Canton Crepe and heavy quality Crepe de Chine.

The Regular Prices are

**\$7.50 \$9.85 \$12.50 \$15.75 \$19.75**

**"DEDUCT 25%"**

### 500 Chinese Baskets

In Another Special Shipment for Saturday

**FIVE SIZES**

Priced Special at

**39c, 69c, 98c**

**\$1.59, \$1.89**

We have just unpacked another ship-ment of those lovely Chinese Work Bas-kets, handsomely ornamented with colored beads, jewels and golden silk tassels. If you failed to get yours from the first sup-ply, you will have the opportunity of choosing from this second big shipment tomorrow.

### A SPECIAL SALE OF 100 Silk and Wool DRESSES

For Saturday at

Values To \$29.75

**\$9.85**

Values To \$29.75



A regular "Old-fashioned" sale of Dresses—We say old-fashioned because this sale makes possible values and savings that have been in recent years absolutely impossible.

There seems to be as many totally different styles as there are dresses—in many instances they are one-of-a-kind models—Dresses of Poirer Twill—Tricotine—Taffeta—Canton Crepe—etc.,—Embroidered—Beaded—Plain Tailored—Specially priced for Saturday at \$9.85.

**OTHER SPECIAL GROUPS AT** - - **\$13.95 and \$19.75**

### Myriads of Dainty Christmas Handkerchiefs



They're all ready for your selection in pretty Xmas boxes, in threes and sizes, or if you prefer, buy different kinds and we will box them for you without extra charge—Handkerchiefs of Linen, Silk or Cotton—White and colors—Plain, Initial, fancy borders and hand-embroid-ered.

**A WONDERFUL HOLIDAY DISPLAY MODERATELY PRICED**

**5c to \$1.50**

### Beautiful Silk Petticoats

Made of extra heavy quality Silk Jersey with plain and scalloped bottoms—colors: Navy, Brown, Pekin, Henna, American Beauty, Emerald Green and Rose—all sizes.

Special Groups at

**\$3.95 \$5.90 \$8.95**

### Fancy Pillow Cases

Beautifully embroidered and lace trimmed Pillow Cases. Each pair comes neatly boxed, making a most attractive and wanted Xmas gift.

**\$1.39, \$2.50, \$2.95 Pair**

### Men's Neckwear

Packed In Attractive Gift Boxes **39c** and Specially Priced at

Saturday we will offer 50 dozen beautiful silk Four-in-Hand Ties in the new flowing-end style—beautiful new stripes—plain colors and neat figures—while they last—39c.

### Women's Pure Thread Silk Hosiery

EACH PAIR FOLDED INTO AN ATTRACTIVE GIFT BOX

"Special" at

**\$1 pr.**

Gift seekers with a limited amount of money to spend for cer-tain gifts will find this special show-ing of pure thread silk Hosiery in the famous "Buster-Brown" make—the one opportunity they have been looking for—all sizes and all colors, including black. Special at per pair. \$1.00.

### Children's Coats

Offered for Saturday Special Prices



Hundreds of smart Coats for girls in fine soft Velours and other heavy win-ter fabrics—Plain or fur trimmed—lined and interlined have been special-ly priced for Saturday.

SIZES 2 TO 6 YEARS  
**\$3.95, \$5.90, \$7.95 to \$19.75**

SIZES 7 TO 16 YEARS  
**\$6.95, \$9.85, \$12.95 to \$25**

### JUNIOR COATS

Junior Coats, too, have been specially priced for Saturday—A smart lot of new Coats they are too—Coats with throw collars—large cape collars—Sport Coats—Coats for High School Girls—Coats for the hard-to-fit girl—Specially priced.

**\$15.75, \$19.75, \$23.95**

### ALL SUITS AT 1-2 Price



Our entire stock of Women's and Misses' High Grade Tailored and Fur-trimmed Suits are now being offered at "Half Price"—Every Suit in the house is included—none reserved—Suits of Tricotine—Poirer Twill—Duvet de Laine—Panvelaine and every other luxurious fabric so popular this season, is included at these final disposition prices.

ALL \$ 25.00 SUITS	.....	\$12.50
ALL \$ 35.00 SUITS	.....	\$17.50
ALL \$ 39.75 SUITS	.....	\$19.88
ALL \$ 45.00 SUITS	.....	\$22.50
ALL \$ 59.50 SUITS	.....	\$29.75
ALL \$ 75.00 SUITS	.....	\$37.50
ALL \$ 89.50 SUITS	.....	\$44.75
ALL \$100.00 SUITS	.....	\$50.00
ALL \$125.00 SUITS	.....	\$62.50
ALL \$139.50 SUITS	.....	\$69.75
ALL \$150.00 SUITS	.....	\$75.00

### A Special Saturday Saturday Sale of 200 Fine Cloth and Plush Coats at



Chiefly Fur Trimmed

**\$45 \$59.50**

**\$65 \$79.50**

Values

**\$39.75**

The greatest values in high-grade Coats that we have ever offered to the women and misses of Lima. We doubt if we will be able to offer such wonder-ful values again this season. Models embracing every fashionable motif now in vogue, in either plain tailored or with fur collar and cuffs of Australian Opossum—Black Opossum—Nutria and other carefully selected furs.

The Materials:

BOLIVIA VELDINE POLLYANNA MORETTE NORMANDIE SUEDINE

**"WOOLTEX" TAILOR-MADE COATS INCLUDED**

Other Special Groups at \$19.75, \$23.95, \$29.75 and up to \$100

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"LIMA'S BUSY STORE"



## The Lima News

AND TIMES-DEMOCRAT  
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## OPEN LETTERS

## To City Commissioners

MY FRIENDS: According to announcement thru the columns of my favorite newspaper, it is your intention to release Saturday the name of the man who is to be the manager of my city, under the new form of government, to be inaugurated on January 1.

I have every confidence that you will choose wisely and well and that the business boss of my city to be designated by your board will measure up to the specifications heretofore outlined in this department. That nothing less than a big man, a capable executive, an organizer, a builder and a personage able to properly represent this city on any and all occasions will be acceptable to you, I feel certain.

If, perchance, you should err, the mistake will most likely be one of the head and not of the heart, for I am satisfied that each and every one of you has closest to his heart the interests and welfare of our wonderful city.

LIMA BEANE.

## To Governor Davis

DEAR HARRY: I believe you are right in feeling that there is no need of calling the Legislature into session unless that body has something to work on in the way of a program of taxation that can be adopted and which will afford the relief your administration promised and which the state needs badly.

Considering your election was brought about largely on specific promises of tax revision and the adoption of measures that would remedy a tense situation, I believe you will agree with me that the onus is upon you, late tho it is, to point the way. Your failure to map out a program and the hindrance you are offering to others who would do so, is not flattering to your administration.

As I see it, you should aid in working out the right plan and then get busy. Political promises are easily made; keeping them is another sort of thing, viewing your position.

LIMA BEANE.

## To Lima Elks

MY FRIENDS: Pleading indeed is the announcement made that you are to have 700 of the poor kiddies of my city, who would not otherwise have an opportunity to participate in the real joys of Yuletide, as your guests the afternoon of December 24, in a Christmas party.

Past experience in the result of your undertakings is proof that this forthcoming event will be the success intended. The things you plan are usually made a splendid success, hence the kiddies are anticipating with a great measure of pleasure the opportunity to greet Santa Claus with you.

"Inasmuch as ye do it unto the least of these, My brethren, ye do it also unto Me," words of the lowly Nazarene.

LIMA BEANE.

## To Dr. D. F. Helms

REVEREND SIR: I like the sort of advice you handed to fathers of boys at the "Father and Son" banquet held in my city, as the opening gun in a campaign for betterment of the boys.

Agreeing with you what the boys read largely controls their future, is easy. Too much care and caution cannot be exercised in seeing to it that the juvenile mind is stocked with the right sort of knowledge disclosed in literature. The right kind of pictures should be hung upon the walls of their intellect.

LIMA BEANE.

## To Abandonment Opponents

FRIENDS: Trusting that you, representatives of the forces seeking to prevent the abandonment of service on the Lima-Defiance division of the I. C. & E. Railway, will meet with success in your efforts before the state public utilities commission at Columbus on December 14, I wish to commend your determination to oppose stopping operation of cars on that line.

I cannot understand why the receiver should make application for permission to abandon the line as a non-earning agency when it is considered, as I understand the situation, it is required to pay its part of big salaries to receiver and engineers. Why not cut off some of that expense and give the road a fair chance, while affording service to a territory that needs service badly?

LIMA BEANE.

## To Bishop Robert Harris

MY DEAR BISHOP: I have been following with no small amount of interest the thought expressed in your series of sermons, delivered each evening at Christ Episcopal church in my city and must confess that your presentation of argument in favor of men and women embracing the Christian religion is getting the right sort of results, bringing home as you do to your auditors the powerful truths of religion.

The skeptic and the agnostic may find what they feel to be contentment back of the supposed bulwarks of their line of reasoning, but as you are laying bare undeniable truths of Holy Writ and the Omnipotence of God, it appears to me that the foundations of antipathy to the teachings of the Nazarene existing in any mind afforded the opportunity of hearing your reasoning, loosed in words, must be severely shaken, if indeed not toppled.

LIMA BEANE.

## To A. C. CaJacob

DEAR AL: Please accept my congratulations on your election to the honored position of president of my Kiwanis club. The body of men you have been chosen to direct during the forthcoming year is one of which I am justly proud.

The big things Kiwanis has aided in putting over in my city in the past is proof sufficient for me that its good work will be carried on in other directions.

They're a fine lot of folks, Al. I feel your tenure of office is going to be pleasant and under your direction the best sort of results will be attained during the year.

LIMA BEANE.

## To Dr. J. J. Sutter

MY DEAR SIR: As health commissioner of Allen-co I desire to commend you for the part you played in arranging a tuberculosis clinic in my city, at the Red Cross Health center two days this week.

Results of the examination of 43 persons, according to announcement made, indicate that there is need of more of these clinics, attended by more publicity and by more far-reaching efforts. That 16 positive cases of tuberculosis were disclosed and six suspicious ones found in the examination, shows one-half the people presented affected by the dread white plague germ.

Announcement of another clinic to be held in January for the benefit of the people of my city is gratifying. I feel that the plan is an excellent one for fighting tuberculosis.

LIMA BEANE.

To Members of the Disarmament Conference  
HONORABLE SIRS: Every mother in Lima, as every mother in the world, is praying that you will bring about a century-old hope of mothers that war will be banished from the earth and their sons need no longer be sacrificed in fighting.

They expect much but it is in your power to do much.

LIMA BEANE.

## AS YOU LIKE IT

Three years ago the British said there would be peace in Ireland by Christmas. Hope this is the Christmas.

Only men who want to pay income tax are those who don't have to.

## ABE MARTIN



The garment workers are going on another strike, but the garment workers 'll continue the policy of 'wacful waitin'. Who remembers when the feller that took what he could get was regarded as a poor business man?

The height of fashion is knee-high.

Those bathing beauties, who left magazine covers not long ago, are posing for 1922 calendars.

Congress wants \$4,000,000,000. Nine naughts for naught.

Henry Ford's friends call him "Hen" because his plan hatch.

"Can a man make love in an airplane?" is an Indiana court question. He can't without help.

The invention to take darkness out of the movies will also take out some loving couples.

From the price of eggs they must think Christmas is Easter.

Every girl likes outdoor sports—they are handsome.

The good die young; so do good resolutions.

Men who only look out for Number One forget how small it is.

When the landlord raises the rent, it's your move.

"No news is good news," wasn't said by a newspaper subscriber.

If wishes were money, we would all have a million for Christmas.

## POEMS YOU WILL ENJOY

By BERTON BRADLEY

## MEMORIES

Those good old songs, those tender songs,

Those southern ballads gentle, That always make the maddening throngs

Grow soft and sentimental— "Oh take me back to Tennessee

And let me see my Mammy, My Mammy dear who waits for me

Down South in Alabama!"

Those songs that say, "Oh let me roam

Down where the live oaks quiver" Half stolen from "Kentucky Home"

And half from "Swanee River!" These song-composing gentlemen

Sing, "Dale-Land is MY Land," Tho none of them has ever been

"Down South" of Staten Island!

Oh how I love those southern songs (Altho they're slightly tony)

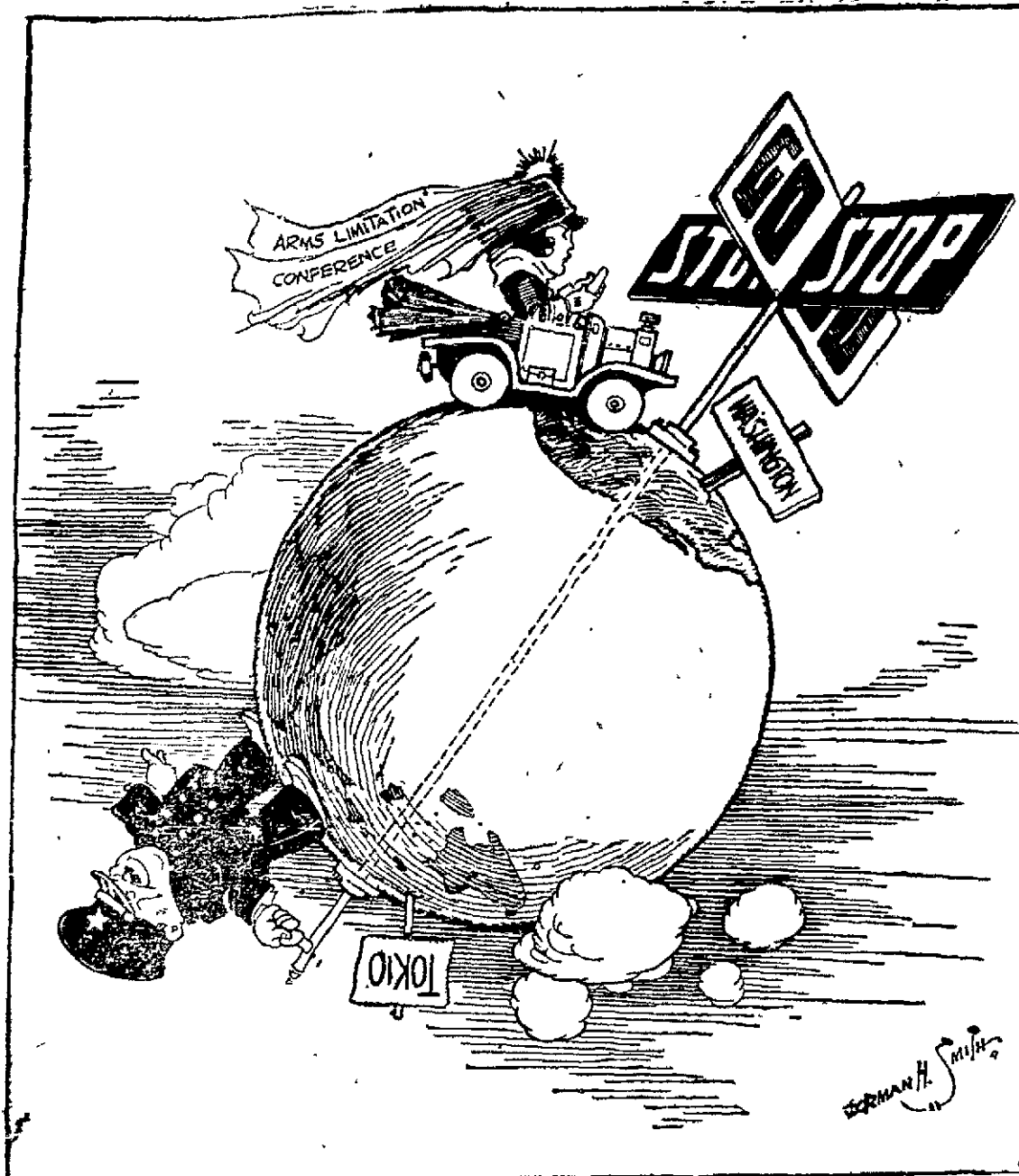
About the homesick lad who longs To be "back in Virginia,"

Those Dixie songs, those tricky songs,

That croon so musically, Those fair old, rare old southern songs

That come from Tin Pan Alley!

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## YOU AND I : COMMENT ON TOPICS OF INTEREST TO ALL

## CHANGE

Fig trees and giant palms with leaves six feet across once grew in North Dakota. This is shown by fossils, dug up by the government's Geological Survey.

About the time North Dakota had a tropical climate, nature was preparing the coal you are using now.

The whole scheme of things, since creation, has been a preparation of the earth for man in the civilized stage.

Man as he exists now is about half way between the ancient fig trees of North Dakota and the really civilized man of the future. We are on the right road, but barely started.

## MA

At the age of 10 or 45, the average American father becomes heavy in his personality, too satisfied with his own way of thinking. The only thing he gives advice, most of which is poor, says Joseph K. Hart, educational expert.

All the more reason why ma should get out in public life and keep ahead of the times so children will have at least one keen counselor. Women improve, men deteriorate, with age.

## HUNTERS

The deer hunting season in the Maine woods this year was highly successful—from the standpoint of the deer. Fourteen hunters were killed, four of them shot by mistake for deer.

Every hunter, before being given a license, should be made to undergo examinations as to his fitness to use a rifle. Three of the Maine hunters accidentally shot themselves.

## HEALTH

Three million Americans seriously ill at all times. That was the report, in 1909, of Roosevelt's commission on national vitality.

That huge sick list has been cut to 2,400,000, says a similar commission, appointed by Herbert Hoover. Health is not only getting better,

says the report, but five years have been added to the average life since 1900.

This means the average American now is sick about eight days a year. At least 40 per cent of our sickness is preventable.

Get plenty of exercise. Don't eat too much. Be a glutton for fresh air. Guard against taking cold. This program will surely keep you healthier than the average. Chances are, it will keep you from being sick at all. A weakened body is easy prey for germs.

Relieve baby's itching skin with **RESINOL**  
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Has just the cooling touch to produce comfort and permit sleep  
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## HEALTH TALKS

Common Sense Ways to Keep Well

Habits That Spread Disease

Since prohibition there has been more poison, masked under the name of whisky, swallowed recklessly thru we should attempt to reckon.

Many people have learned to drink since it has become prohibited in the same spirit that the small boy goes behind the barn or garage to indulge in a cornish cigarette. Were they drinking ante-prohibition liquor, the harm to their systems and especially to their livers would not be so great.

The liver will bear up under continued strain for an amazing length of time. But when it does break down it is difficult ever to repair it.

The quickest way to wear out the liver is by making it continually fight against poisons thrown into the body. One of the liver's greatest duties is to protect the body from toxins or poisons. It will do this effectively for a long time.

For instance, a man drinks a little too much whisky or some other alcoholic beverage. Even if it is good whisky he throws a strain on the liver. The liver does its work and the man either feels no effects or he finds the need for a purge after which he feels better. He keeps up this habit for years and then suddenly he finds he has developed cirrhosis of the liver.

Poisons against which the liver protects us are not always poisons when they are swallowed. The bacteria in the large intestines make poisons or toxins out of certain parts of the food substances. They are absorbed into the blood stream of the intestine and the liver, when working properly, can convert them into harmless chemicals.

Some organs like the lungs are liable to infection, but the liver is very seldom crippled except from overwork. Bad habits, again we see, are the forerunners of much illness.

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"Ah—tonsils, madam?"  
"Yes—and won't you be seated?"  
You sit down.  
"Open your mouth—there now—just 20 minutes, please!"  
Folding a little instrument, not unlike a fountain pen, in your mouth, you sit for 20 minutes.  
Then:  
"There, that's all now!"  
And out you go—maybe you haven't even taken your hat off—minus your tonsils!  
RADIUM DOES IT  
Radium which you held in the instrument in your mouth melted the tonsils away. No blood, no knives, no pain, only 20 minutes of your time gone and you can continue your working and playing and eating as if you'd never had a tonsil!  
Dr. A. Graham Biddle, New York specialist, is perfecting the radium treatment for tonsils. He has been working nine years to eliminate the danger, blood and pain of tonsil removal.  
METHOD SIMPLE  
"The method," says Dr. Biddle, "is exceedingly simple. The patient needs no previous treatment or preparation. The attending physician would assist perhaps in adjusting the radium pencil so that it would strike the tonsil—after that the pa-

HERE'S TONSILS' GREATEST FOE

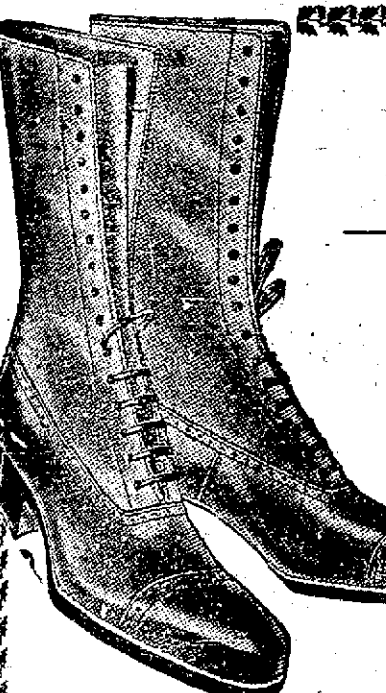


Dr. A. Graham Biddle  
tient holds it there until the fibre is melted away.  
"The radium melts back to what is called the crypt—a little ridge about as thick as this," Biddle was holding up a piece of issue paper

folded three times. "That little ridge is allowed to remain."  
MAKES EXPERIMENTS  
"Radium has interested me intensely. I watched its effect on cancers and it occurred to me that tonsils might be removed that way."  
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Absolute clearance of our entire stock of suits under \$65, to be made in this sale of entirely new styles, in Moussy, Duvet de Laine, Tricotine, Veldyne, and Silk Duvetyn,—some fur trimmed; at  
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## COOKING YOUR CHRISTMAS DINNER WORRYING YOU?

Sister Mary Tells You Today  
How to Prepare the "Trimming"

## Society News

**MEMBERS** of the Zenda Shrine club and a few guests met at the home of Miss Esther Wagner, of S. Elizabeth-st., Thursday evening. Five hundred was enjoyed. At the close of the game with Miss Alvina Cardosi holding high score among the members and Miss Margaret McFadden among the guests, the hostess served a dainty two course luncheon.

Guests other than club members included Miss Rose Reithman and Miss Margaret McFadden. Next meeting will be held in a fortnight at the home of Miss Clara DeFuntis, Greenway-av.

Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Debel, of S. Cole-st., entertained a large group of guests with an attractively arranged card party at their home. Baskets of rosebuds were placed throughout the rooms. Military salute was enjoyed. 11 tables were arranged for the play. At the conclusion of the playing Dr. J. B. Poling, Frank Harmon, Mrs. M. A. Wagner and Mrs. John E. Galvin holding high scores a buffet luncheon was served.

Mrs. Fred Beam received a large company of guests at an attractively appointed 5 o'clock tea at the Hotel Argonne, Thursday.

The hostess was attired in a black gown and wore a large red picture hat. Her corsage was of red roses and violets.

Tables were laid in the Crystal room. The north end of the room was garlanded with southern amilux and wreaths of red, giving the Christmas note. Each table was adorned the entire length with greenery, red berries and red candles in low crystal holders tied with bows of tulle. Place cards were decorated in artistic design and Christmas baskets added to the beauty of the occasion. An orchestra played throughout the tea.

Guests included Mesdames W. A. Campbell, E. L. Andrews, Paul Agnew, C. L. Ackerman, J. B. Rannister, Fred C. Becker, George Carter, J. D. Armstrong, Benjamin Altschul, Roy Banta, C. S. Baxter, Leah M. Butler, F. J. Banta, M. L. Becker, H. O. Bentley, Frank Baxter, Chester M. Cable, Frank Delsel, Jr., A. C. Crisp, Ortho Barr, R. L. Bates, S. A. Baxter, George Bayley, Charles Beggs, May C. Bolger, M. S. Bowsher, D. J. Cable, O. B. Chenoweth, Phil Crow, Emily Curless, M. P. Colt, C. H. Clark, W. E. Clayton, E. M. Crawford, E. C. Curless, F. T. Cuthbert, J. C. Butcher, W. R. Daniels, E. A. Deas, W. H. Duffield, J. W. Dimond, George Dengler, Harry Fenton, Everett Furnas, Viola Gates, L. S. Galvin, George Glover, Frank Drake, A. F. Creps, Henry Delsel, Sr., Frank Downing, Edward Folsom, J. E. Cover, George Ebert, E. M. Gooding, Roy D. Gregg, Harry Harper, Jr., Agnes Haller, W. H. Hay, R. T. Gregg, Frank Harmon, Charles Herb, John Harley, Alice M. Hill, Lewis Hoffman, Grace Hollister, Homer Hughes, H. A. Holdridge, J. E. Grosjean, J. W. Halfhill, Samuel Honecker, Ruth Kerr Hyter, T. K. Jacobs, W. H. Holdridge, T. J. Hoffman.

Mesdames M. M. Keltner, Abner Jones, Frank Kominick, Alan D. Knusel, W. L. Mackenzie, J. B. Koser, Charles Kuller, E. A. King, A. T. MacDonell, George Mahndorf, C. F. Lufkin, Holmes Mackenzie, George McDonell, F. L. Maize, G. J. McCallough, T. A. McLaughlin, C. Miller, Harry S. Moulton, Frank Moke, A. L. McKeany, Leon B. Mott, J. Robb Meilly, D. W. Morris, Walter Montgomery, Shelby Mauch, W. L. Parmenter, Harry Pew, Jacob Pifer, J. B. Poling, E. C. Powell, J. S. Pursell, W. L. Russell, Harry T. Robinson, I. L. Motter, W. R. Riehl, Amelia Schless, Clinton Seals, Walter M. Scott, Frank Steiner, Martin Seale, W. L. Price, Oliver Steiner, S. S. Seal, Paul Steuber, J. M. Seale, D. H. Sullivan, J. E. Sullivan, O. B. Selfridge, E. B. Taylor, R. F. Thomas, M. S. Thompson, Lynn B. Timmerman, Clair M. Tolson, J. B. Vail, Alfred Wemmer, A. L. White, H. W. K. Wylie, Russell Young, R. N. Zellitz, Earl Seale, Karl Renz, S. S. Seale, L. D. Platt, George Vicary, G. F. Willower, Harry Workman, Frank Wright, Henry G. Wemmer, Benjamin R. Wylie.

Mrs. Ross Stapleton, of N. Metcalf-st., opened her home to the members of the Martha Washington club Thursday. Twelve members and four guests, Mrs. Earl Snyder, Mrs. H. B. Hoffman, Mrs. Darrell McGinnis and Miss Olive Lake were in attendance. In the contest, Mrs. M. S. Allen was successful. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. I. W. Brown. Christmas favors were presented to the guests. Throughout the rooms decorations in keeping with the season were used.

Next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mrs. M. S. Allen, of Calumet-av.

Misses Naomi and Janice Lippincott, of 734 W. North-st., will entertain the members of the Kings' Herodias at Trinity M. E. church at 2 p. m. Saturday at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. E. A. Beck will give a talk. Mrs. Beck devoted 21 years of her life to Korea. She will have many topics of interest to relate to the young people. Mesdames E. R. Martin, C. A. Arganbright and J. J. Sutter will assist Mrs. Lippincott. All young people between the ages of 8 and 14 years are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Amelia Hauenstein, Mrs. W. C. Berryhill and Miss Emma Hauenstein motored to Bluffton Thursday where they spent the day with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Collins, Miss Flora May Collins and Mrs. Nettie Bacom are located at the Collins winter home, 424 South-av., St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will remain for the winter.

Buy the family a FORD for Xmas.

## SOCIAL CALENDAR

## FRIDAY

Auxiliary Unit of the American Legion, Memorial Hall, 7:30 p. m.  
University club, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Ludwiz, 7:30 p. m.  
"College Days" to be presented by Boys' and Girls' Glee club, of Central high school, school auditorium, 8 p. m.

## SATURDAY

Mrs. Arlin McCartney entertains with a 1 o'clock luncheon at the Elks' Home, honoring Mrs. R. J. Pierce, Philomathean club, Mrs. Gwen Jones, Pence, 6 p. m.  
Home Economics committee of City Federation of Women's clubs, Mrs. W. C. Bradley, 2 p. m.

King's Herald of Trinity M. E. church, Misses Naomi and Janice Lippincott, 2:30 p. m.  
Loan Scholarship committee of City Federation of Women's clubs, public library, 4:30 p. m.  
Miss Selma Lester, Mrs. J. B. Weil, Mrs. H. B. Friedmann and Mrs. Harry Krueger, luncheon bridge, Hotel Norval, 1 o'clock.

The congregational church is one that lends itself well to a concert and when decorated as it was Thursday afternoon is, indeed, beautiful. The decorations were of feathery asparagus ferns, small Christmas trees and a glorious Christmas star in a wreath, all in keeping with the annual Christmas program of the Woman's Music club.

The program opened with the Women's chorus singing the following Christmas carols: "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," "The Little Lord Jesus" and "Holy Night." Mrs. Reed Marshall accompanied at the organ. She is an organist of great ability.

The second number, "Joseph Tender, Joseph Mine," a 11th century song was beautiful as sung by Mrs. Beatha Falk Callahan.

An organ overture of Von Floren played by Mrs. Reed Marshall was a delightful number.

The fourth number was a cantata, "The Child," by Paul Elbert, with readings from the Bible by Mrs. J. K. Bannister, Mrs. Fred Gooding, Mrs. R. O. Woods, Messrs J. Allen Grubb and Fred Calvert took the solos and quartet work most effectively.

The closing numbers were organ selections, "Kanzanetta" by Tchaikowsky and "Toccata" by Debussy played by Miss Geraldine Evans. Miss Evans is a recent addition to the club. Both of her numbers were most difficult and were splendidly played. She is at present organist for the Van Wert Presbyterian church.

Miss Maxine Hoover, of E. Wayne-st., was surprised by a number of her little school mates when they gathered at her home Thursday in celebration of her seventh birthday anniversary. Games and music were the diversions and a dainty luncheon was served.

Those present included Lella Harvay, Mary Jane Baughman, Pauline Tullis, Margaret Frazee, May and Georgianna Penn, Lucile Monero, Helen Lusk, Donaudene Stewart, Lavone and Margaret Priddy, Alice May McWiley, Paul Gross, George Gottfried, Eugene Huff, Clotis Hall, Harold Locher and Maxine Hoover.

Woman's Missionary society of St. Matthew's church in Shawneetown, held a covered dish birthday social at the home of Mrs. R. D. Arthur, Thursday. A short program followed the dinner and the following officers were chosen: Mrs. R. D. Arthur, president; Mrs. Albert Bowsher, vice-president; Miss Goldie Loyer, secretary and Mrs. Frank Bowsher, treasurer.

Forty were in attendance.

Home Economics committee of City Federation of Women's clubs will meet Saturday at 2 p. m. with Mrs. W. C. Bradley, of Shawnee.

Loan Scholarship committee of City Federation of Women's clubs will meet Saturday at 4:30 p. m. at the public library.

Misses Elija, Isabelle and Mable Mackenzie, Nettie Shook, Frances Mafro, Ann and Lilian Taylor, Mildred Catt, Netta Dejeil and Alice M. Hill.

Mrs. Ross Stapleton, of N. Metcalf-st., opened her home to the members of the Martha Washington club Thursday. Twelve members and four guests, Mrs. Earl Snyder, Mrs. H. B. Hoffman, Mrs. Darrell McGinnis and Miss Olive Lake were in attendance. In the contest, Mrs. M. S. Allen was successful. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. I. W. Brown. Christmas favors were presented to the guests. Throughout the rooms decorations in keeping with the season were used.

Next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mrs. M. S. Allen, of Calumet-av.

Misses Naomi and Janice Lippincott, of 734 W. North-st., will entertain the members of the Kings' Herodias at Trinity M. E. church at 2 p. m. Saturday at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. E. A. Beck will give a talk. Mrs. Beck devoted 21 years of her life to Korea. She will have many topics of interest to relate to the young people. Mesdames E. R. Martin, C. A. Arganbright and J. J. Sutter will assist Mrs. Lippincott. All young people between the ages of 8 and 14 years are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Amelia Hauenstein, Mrs. W. C. Berryhill and Miss Emma Hauenstein motored to Bluffton Thursday where they spent the day with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Collins, Miss Flora May Collins and Mrs. Nettie Bacom are located at the Collins winter home, 424 South-av., St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will remain for the winter.

Buy the family a FORD for Xmas.

## Flavor Should be Distinctive, Says Noted Expert on Cooking—How to Obtain this Desirable Effect

Let the vegetables that accompany turkey, duck or goose for the Christmas dinner be distinctive in flavor. Onions, turnips, squash, cabbage, parsnips, brussels sprouts or cauliflower—any of these are well chosen. Green peas are sometimes served with duck but are a decided luxury in December.

If the flavor of the stuffing is definitely onion, squash should be the vegetable. Do not repeat flavors. It makes a meal monotonous and uninteresting.

The salad should be a simple green salad served with French dressing. Mashed squash, creamed onions, buttered turnips or parsnips are quite as acceptable as a more elaborately served vegetable. But if you would "paint the lily" here are some means of doing it that will not necessitate a lot of fussing at the last minute.

**ONIONS AU GRATIN**  
Twelve medium sized onions, 3 tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons flour, 1-1/2 cups water, salt and pepper, bread crumbs, grated cheese.

Peel onions and let stand in cold salted water half an hour. Cut in quarter-inch slices. Parboil five minutes in water to cover. Drain and pour over cold water. Drain.

Put in a well-buttered baking dish. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and pour over the sauce made by melting the butter, stirring in the flour and gradually adding the water, stirring constantly.

Bake in a moderate oven half an

hour. They cover with bits of butter and sprinkle with grated cheese. Return to oven half an hour. Increase heat the last 10 minutes to brown crumbs.

**PARSNIP FRITTERS**  
Eight parsnips, tablespoons butter, 1 teaspoon sugar, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-4 teaspoon pepper, 1-2 cup cracker crumbs, 1 egg.

Wash and boil parsnips till tender. Plunge into cold water and slip skins. Mash and add cracker crumbs, melted butter, sugar, salt and pepper.

Mix thoroughly and add eggs well beaten. Shape in 1/2 inch flat cakes. Roll in flour and fry in a spider to a golden brown. Use salt butter and half lard for frying and as little as possible to keep from burning.

**TURNUP CROQUETTES**  
Eight turnips, 2 potatoes, salt and pepper, 2 eggs, bread crumbs.

Wash and pare turnips. Cut in quarters and steam until tender. Mash and let drain thru a cheesecloth in a colander. Add the potatoes boiled and mashed.

Season with salt and pepper and add the yolks of the eggs slightly beaten. Let cool and shape into small balls. Roll in fine crumbs, dip in the whites of the eggs slightly beaten. Roll again in crumbs and fry in deep hot fat.

Drain in brown paper. These may be prepared early in the morning and put in a cold place till ready to fry.

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## LETTERS TO LOVERS

By WINONA WILCOX

"Love" for lack of a fitting word is put to many sad uses. Sometimes it stands for passion, sometimes for infatuation. Just what it signifies when applied to the common variety of vacation flirtation is pretty hard to say.

Too often it has a serious meaning for the girl involved and something quite different for the man.

How a love affair that passed as quickly as a summer shower can spoil life for an ambitious girl is told naively by the sufferer:

"I was spending the summer at a mountain hotel. I met a fascinating man, an artist. From the first he was devoted to me. When we parted we agreed to correspond as plighted lovers.

"I notified him of my safe arrival home and added 'hat was in my heart to say. I received no reply. A month later I wrote again. I never have heard from the man who had vowed a hundred times that he adored me.

"In the 'Letters to Lovers' I have read about 'sublimation' or how to change disappointed or hopeless love into work. Now I find that I cannot put my mind upon any subject other than the man I love and the hours we spent together.

"I am a highly trained singer but I am afraid my nervousness will ruin my voice. When I go upon the stage before an audience I look for the one man until the spotlight blinds me.

"I do not sleep. I do not enjoy the society of other men. My life is wrecked unless I can learn to 'sublimate' as you suggest.

"Probably the young woman is not exaggerating an impending tragedy. Doubtless the emotion, which for the man was only pastime, is actually ruining her singing voice.

The physical reactions from emotional distresses are often terrible, but isn't the wrecking of her career too big a price to pay for a summer affair with a man who makes love—and runs away?

This girl's cure consists in a better understanding of her value, not to herself, not to any man, but to the community.

Her art provides many persons with pleasure, therefore she ought to save it from destruction. She ought to cherish it, and continue to devote it to the entertainment of audiences.

Her misery comes from turning her love-force inward. Her cure will be assured when she switches her thwarted emotions into an outward channel.

At present she is selfish, for she loses her ability to sing she subtracts something from the beauty of the world.

Most victims of unfortunate emotional conditions can lighten their agony by regarding their work whatever it may be as a refuge from the hours of longing. A refuge into which they can escape at will.

"Sublimation" is perhaps most easily understood and achieved when it is regarded as a refuge from emotional miseries.

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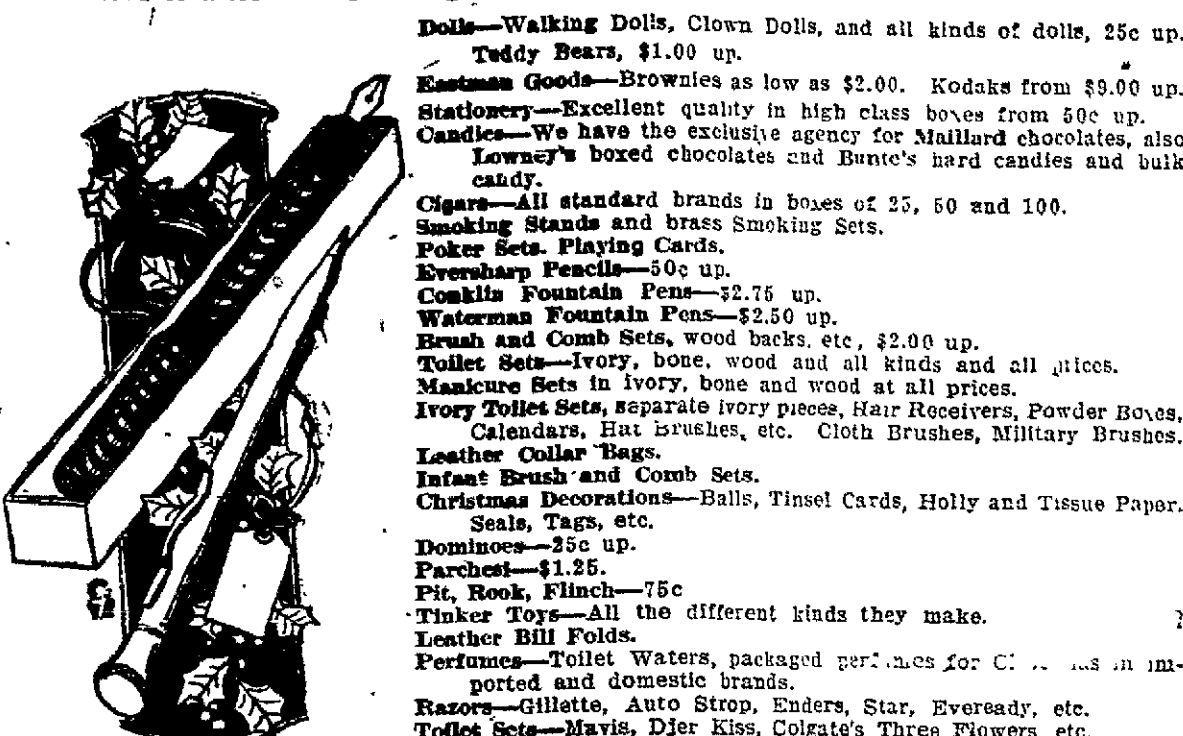
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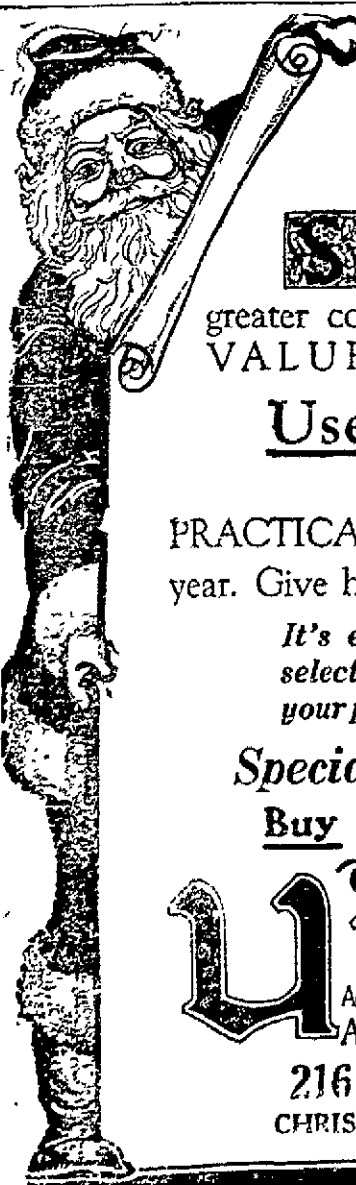
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WASHINGTON — (By Associated Press) — The meeting of the senate committee investigating charges by Senator Watson, Democrat, Georgia, that soldiers had been illegally hanged in France, almost broke up in a row today after Senator Watson threatened to slap the face of an army officer sitting in the audience.

Chairman Brandegee of the committee, declared that no person in the room should be insulted. This statement was made after Senator Watson had just up close to Major George D. C. Watson, shaking his finger in his face, exclaiming, "Two pennies I would slip your face."

"If he looks at me again that way I will slap his jaws," the Georgia senator declared, adding that he would not resign with the committee to be "bullied" by this "bull-jawed brute."

"Take your seat, Senator Watson," Chairman Brandegee called the sergeant-at-arms and Senator Watson sat down. Then turning to the Georgia senator the chairman asked if he wanted to try officers present, including Walter D. Bell, General Pershing's judge advocate in France, to testify.

"Yes," said Senator Watson.

"Well, get out," said the chairman and Watson rose.

Senator Shields, Democrat, Tennessee, presided at the opening of the session but retired later as Mr. Brandegee arrived and took the chair. Soon after there was an exchange between Senator Watson and Mr. Watson.

"You are relating to procedure and the presence of army officers while the committee was just sitting," said Mr. Watson.

"The exchange became very heated and Senator Watson threatened to slap the face of the army officer," said Mr. Brandegee.

"You ought to submit your evidence and let us decide," said the chairman.

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A & P Pumpkin, can ..... 16c  
Iona Corn, can ..... 10c  
Sniders Catsup, bottle ..... 15c  
Pet Milk, can ..... 11c

Red Salmon, can ..... 25c  
Pea Beans, lb. .... 6c  
Lemon or Orange Peel ..... 29c  
Pancake Flour, pkg. .... 10c  
P & G Soap, 5 for ..... 29c  
5 lb. bag Pancake Flour ..... 25c  
Pure Lard, lb. .... 12c

Blue Rose Rice, 4 lbs. for 25c

BOKAR COFFEE SUPREME

Sole Distributors Lb 39c  
Bags 12c

IONA FLOUR, Sack - - 89c

40-50 Prunes, lb. .... 19c  
Sardines, can ..... 5c  
Karo Syrup, can ..... 9c  
Evap. Peaches, lb. .... 21c  
Wet Shrimp, can ..... 22c  
Jello, pkg. .... 19c  
Mixed Nuts, lb. .... 25c  
Grape Fruit, 4 for ..... 25c

Bacon Squares, lb. .... 18c  
Onions, lb. .... 7c  
Bakers Cocoa, can ..... 10c  
Eagle Milk, can ..... 10c  
Toasted Toasties, pkg. .... 10c  
Grape Nuts, pkg. .... 17c  
Gold Dust, pkg. .... 26c  
Pillsbury Flour, pkg. .... 19c

PEANUT BUTTER - - - - 2 LBS. 25c

KITCHEN KLENZER - - - - CAN 5c

The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.  
302 W. MARKET ST. LIMA, OHIO

## DRUG SALE

Saturday to Monday

## MYKRANTZ

COR. MAIN AND NORTH STS.

PAUL L. DEWESE, Mgr.

## DRUG SALE

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## EXTRA VALUES FOR CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS FOR LESS MONEY!

### SPECIAL PRICES ON DRUGS AND TOILET ARTICLES

Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, 96c.  
Miles' Nervine, 80c.  
Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, 21c, 80c.  
Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, 48c, 90c.  
Pep Gen, 90c.  
Scott's Emulsion, 45c, 80c.  
Phillips' Milk Magnesia, 43c.  
Burroughs Milk Magnesia, 39c.  
Nux Ton Iron Tonic, 79c.  
Stomach Pep, 21c, 39c.  
Liver Pep, 21c, 39c.  
Mills Emulsion, 48c, 90c.  
Stearns' Improved White Pine Cough Syrup, 58c.

### VISIT OUR SELF SERVE TABLE AND SAVE MONEY

Pierce's Favorite Prescription, 90c.  
Lee's Rhuibarb Laxative, 39c.  
Bromo Seltzer, 80c, 43c, 23c.  
Tanlac, \$1.00.  
Peroxide, 19c, 13c, 9c.  
Lysol, 80c, 21c.  
Glycothymoline, 90c, 48c, 23c.  
Najol, 59c, 90c.  
Eagle Brand Milk, 19c.  
Azulea Face Powder, 89c.  
La Trefle Face Powder, 89c.  
Djer Kix Face Powder, 39c.  
Luxur Face Powder, 39c.  
Coty's D'Origan Face Powder, 78c.  
Pompeian Day Cream, 48c.  
Pompeian Night Cream, 39c, 79c.  
Mykrantz Vanishing Peroxide Cream, 19c.  
Odor Sweet, 19c.  
Odorono, 28c, 48c.  
Mum, 19c.  
Any Catet Preparation, 27c.  
Pepsodent Tooth Paste, 43c.  
Pebeco Tooth Paste, 45c.  
Serraco Tooth Paste, 28c.  
Kolyons Tooth Paste, 24c.  
Hind's Honey and Almond Cream, 43c.  
Multisilf Coconut Oil, 43c.  
Hair Nets, 2 for 25c.  
Double Strand Hair Nets, 2 for 35c.  
Quinine Shampoo, Mykrantz, 48c.  
Violet Witch Head, 21c.  
Creme Eleya Vanishing Cream, 48c.  
Lyon's Tooth Powder, 21c.  
Low Me Face Powder, 69c.  
Melba Face Powder, 48c.  
Aristocrat Face Powder, 72c.  
Mary Garden Talcum, 27c.

### SPECIAL! RAZORS, 89c

When everyone is thinking about giving practical gifts for Christmas we got in some fine razors that we can sell at a price to suit everybody's pocketbook. There are all styles of points, and widths of blades, and assortment of handles. Your choice of the lot.

### MYKRANTZ WHITE PINE COUGH SYRUP

For tickling in the throat or for the obstinate cough—this preparation will get at the seat of the trouble and relieve it. Good for children to take, too. Get a bottle today and take it whenever you feel that a cough is starting. Special prices for this week end sale.

21c and 39c

### HOT WATER BOTTLES

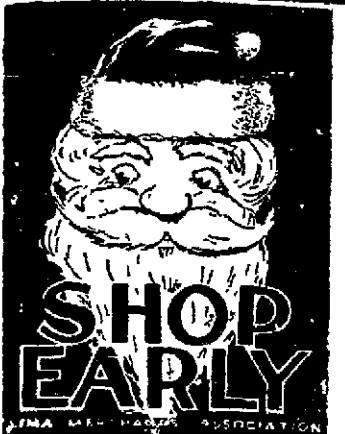
Make very acceptable and practical Christmas gifts. We have them from \$2.25 to \$5.00—every one guaranteed. For this week end sale we offer an extra special value at

59c

### MYKRANTZ CREAM OF BENZOIN AND WITCH HAZEL

A delightfully perfumed toilet lotion composed of the finest healing agents known in medicine. It heals cracked hands, chapped faces, and protects tender skins. Keep your hands and face young with our lotion—you'll be pleased with the result. Special sale price

21c



### MAKE YOUR HENS WINTER LAYERS

We carry a complete line of Hess Standard Remedies, and especially at this season of the year, HESS POULTRY PANACEA—the guaranteed tonic that makes hens lay eggs. Give your hens a good start for the winter, and reap the harvest of high prices for winter eggs.

Packages 25c, 75c, \$1.50  
Pails \$3.00

### MYKRANTZ TASTELESS COD LIVER EXTRACT

Fortify your body with this constructive tonic, so that you will be able to successfully resist the attacks of colds, pneumonia or bronchial affections that might come to you. This preparation is especially recommended for weak lung conditions, and is backed by our liberal guarantee of satisfaction or money refunded. Special sale price

89c

## PRACTICAL GIFT SUGGESTIONS

FOR HIM—  
Cigars  
Cigarettes  
Hunter Adjustable Caid Cases  
Kodak  
Parker Fountain Pen  
Eversharp Pencil  
Eversharp Combination Gift

FOR HER—  
Toilet Water  
Ivory Set  
Perfume  
Stationery  
Eversharp Combination Gift  
Parker Fountain Pen  
Candy

FOR FATHER—  
Cigars  
Stationery  
Razor  
Parker Fountain Pen  
Eversharp Pencil  
Card Case  
Cigarettes

FOR MOTHER—  
Incense Burners  
Stationery  
Ivory Set  
Parker Pen  
Eversharp Combination Gift  
Candy  
Toilet Water  
Perfume

## Carter & Carroll

Bargain Basement

Percales  
Genuine Scout Percales, full yard wide, fast colors, big assortment patterns, in all colors ..... 19c  
Bargain Basement

Ginghams  
Tolle du Nord, A. F. C. etc., standard quality gingham plaids, checks, stripes and plain colors ..... 29c  
Bargain Basement

### Practical Gifts For Men

BATH ROBE FLANNEL  
Full yard wide, blue, brown and red pattern, fast colors, per yard, \$1.00.

SWEATERS  
Men's wool sweaters, slipover style, dark heather color, large roll collar, \$10.50.

MADRAS FOR SHIRTS  
Fast color shirting madras with silk stripes, white, gray or tan patterns, per yard, 60c.

SILK MUFFLERS  
Men's knit silk mufflers with black fringe, good width and length, \$1.98.

SUSPENDERS  
President style good strong elastic, each pair in Xmas box, 69c.

KNIT TIES  
Men's blue motorized knit ties in stripes and plain colors, 59c.

SILK TIES  
Men's silk four-in-hand ties, the new narrow shape, very pretty patterns, 69c.

SILK TIES  
Men's fine silk ties, narrow shape flowered patterns or plain colors, 98c.  
Bargain Basement

### Practical Gifts For Women

LINEN TOWEL  
All pure Irish linen towel size 18x36 inches, figured border 98c.

TURKISH TOWELS  
Very large, extra heavy weight Turkish towels with colored borders, 98c.

LINEN NAPKINS  
Pure linen napkins size 22x22 inches all the usual patterns, 89c.

FINETABLE CLOTH  
7x12 1/2 inches, pure Irish linen, full lined or square tables, 89c.

BED SHEETS  
Bed size cotton bed sheet with all pure white or covered with silk mull, \$12.50.

BED COMFORTABLE  
Bed size cotton bed sheet with all pure white or covered with silk mull, \$12.50.

PILLOW SLIPS  
Embroidered pillow slips, 12 inch x 16 inch, 100% cotton, 89c.

BED SHEETS  
Our budget quality, 66 inch, 100% cotton, 89c.

Envelope Chemise  
Flesh colored envelope chemise made of camisolite or flesh, ribbed shoulder straps ..... \$2.25  
Bargain Basement

### Wool Blankets

Good quality heavy weight wool blankets, strictly first quality. Plain gray with stripe borders, large size 72x80 inches. Price per pair

\$7.45  
Bargain Basement

### Colton Blankets

Standard weight plain gray cotton blankets with stripe borders, size 64x80 inches. Long, warm nap. Very specially priced

\$2.25  
Bargain Basement

### Luggage for Christmas

Give luggage this Xmas and if you buy it here you are sure that it is of a quality anyone would appreciate. We are showing a very complete line of Trunks, Bags, Suit Cases, etc.

Full size Wardrobe Trunk ..... \$39.00  
Steamer size Wardrobe Trunk ..... \$35.00  
Full size regular Trunk ..... \$15.00  
Black cowhide Bag, 18 inch size ..... \$27.00  
Ladies' black Bag, leather lined ..... \$18.00  
Tan cowhide Bag, leather lined ..... \$18.50  
Black cowhide Bag, double handle ..... \$11.50  
Tan cowhide Suit Case ..... \$13.50  
Tan cowhide Suit Case ..... \$12.00  
Tan fibre Suit Case ..... \$4.50  
Bargain Basement

### House Aprons

Gingham house aprons and apron dresses. Fine quality check and small aprons in gingham. Several of the newest and most popular styles. Complete assortment, sizes 36 to 44

\$2.69  
Bargain Basement

### Saltene Aprons

Ladies' black saltene aprons, trimmed with flowered cretonne. Large bib, wide straps over shoulder to rest in back. Long wide such. A new style now very popular

98c  
Bargain Basement

### Gifts for Baby

Practical gifts for the baby that the baby will enjoy and the mother will appreciate. We believe that our infants' knitwear at the price we name at the best value you will find at any place.

Infants' Knit Socks ..... 98c  
Infants' Knit Socks ..... \$1.08  
Infants' Knit Socks ..... \$1.25  
Infants' Knit Caps ..... 98c  
Infants' Knit Caps ..... \$1.19  
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### Tea Aprons

For a dainty, inexpensive gift we suggest one of these pretty table aprons. They are trimmed with fine cotton broadway and ribbon

25c to \$1.98  
Bargain Basement

### Outing Gowns

Ladies' outing flannel night gowns with or without collar, made extra long and full all have full length sleeves, neat pink or blue trims

98c  
Bargain Basement

### Practical Gifts For Boys

KNICKERBOCKERS  
Boys' corduroy knickerbockers, dark colored, sizes 6 to 16 years, \$1.49.

KNICKERBOCKERS  
Boys' heavy cashmere knickers, dark striped patterns, sizes 6 to 16 years, \$1.49.

SWEATERS  
Boys' warm knit sweater coats, dark red with large collar, sizes 28 to 34, \$2.19.

ROMPERS  
Romper suits for boys 3 to 8 years, made of heavy corduroy, dark color, \$2.25.

OVERALLS  
Boys' Overall Suits, made of stiffest stripe denim, sizes 2 to 8 years, 75c.

BLOUSES  
Boys' warm school blouses, made of gray outing flannel, 59c.

BLOUSES  
Boys' blouses, made of heavy half wool outing flannel, sizes to 10 years, 98c.

TIES  
Boys' silk four-in-hand ties, nice assortment patterns, in all colors, 19c.  
Bargain Basement

### Practical Gifts For Girls

SPRING DRESSES  
Girls' wool serge dresses, several styles, navy blue or brown, sizes to 14 years, \$4.98.

WOOL MIDDIES  
Girls' all wool flannel middies, ted or blue, sizes 6 to 22 years, \$5.95.

WOOL MIDDIES  
White middies, made of best flannel regulation style, sizes to 22 years, \$1.98.

GINGHAM DRESSES  
Girls' gingham school dresses, neat styles, checks, plaids, etc., 7 to 14 years, \$2.79.

GINGHAM DRESSES  
Girls' gingham dresses, all sizes 2 to 12 years, checks, stripes, duds and plain colors, 98c.

BATH ROBES  
Children's Bath Robes in 4 to 10 year sizes, Indian designs in bright colors, \$2.98.

APRONS  
Girls' black saltene overall aprons, trimmed with flowered cotton, \$1.49.

APRONS  
Girls' percale slipover aprons in light or dark colors, sizes 6 to 16 years, 98c.  
Bargain Basement

Camisoles  
Ladies' silk camisole or flesh, pink, blue, navy, etc., neatly trimmed all sizes ..... \$1.49  
Bargain Basement

## January Prices Now

You do not have to wait until January to buy your needs for less money. We are selling merchandise now at January Sale prices.

XMAS DOLLS  
Special  
45c, 59c, 79c

GIVE HIM  
Something he can wear for Christmas. We give you values.

XMAS TIES  
39c

Shoes  
All leather Work Shoes  
\$2.95

Special  
Excellent quality Work Shoes, made by Endicott & Johnson—  
\$3.75

Dress Shoes  
\$5.00 Officers' and Signal Corps—  
\$5.75

Pants  
\$2.00 Khaki striped Work Pants—  
\$1.50

\$4.00 Blue and Striped Dress and Work Pants—  
\$2.95

\$5.00 Brown Mole-skin Pants, special—  
\$3.45

Blankets  
Single Bed, special—  
49c

\$4.00 All Wool Grey Blankets—  
\$2.95

\$7.00 All Wool Blue Hospital Blankets—  
\$4.45

\$8.00 Slipovers or Coat Sweaters—  
\$4.95

Heavy Ribbed Shirts and Drawers ..... 65c  
\$2.00 Union Suits ..... \$1.49  
\$3.00 Mixed Wool Union Suits ..... \$1.95  
\$5.00 All Wool Union Suits ..... \$2.98

Flannel Shirts ..... \$1.15  
Wool Shirts ..... \$3.75

\$5.00 All Wool O. D. Shirts ..... \$4.45

Reclaimed Knee Boots ..... \$1.75  
\$6.00 and \$7.00 Raincoats ..... \$3.95  
Sheepskin Coats ..... \$10.95  
Leatherette Jerkins ..... \$3.95  
Sheep Pelt Vests ..... \$3.95  
\$1.00 Heavy Work Gloves ..... 69c

12c COTTON SOX ..... 9c  
50c WOOL SOX ..... 35c

Army & Workingman's Store  
148 N. Main St. 2 Doors South of High St.







# BOWLING RESULTS

## LIONS' LEAGUE

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## BARTHLEMESS SIMPLE SWAIN IN FIRST PICTURE

The most interesting thing about Richard Barthelmess is that he first starring picture is that he didn't pomade his hair, parade in fall dress and smash a few hearts. Barthelmess knows how to wear "soup and fish." His manners are courtly. He is a fascinating actor. Thus one would expect that his first starring picture would present him as a social lion, leaving a trail of broken hearts as he swept on from conquest to conquest.

But no, "Tol'able David," by Joseph Hergesheimer, was chosen as the vehicle. That is a simple story of simple folk of the Virginia West Virginia mountains.

David was ready to assume a man's place in the world. He wanted the responsibility and recognition that goes to a man of affairs, no matter how trivial the affairs.

His brother, his father and his mother never gave full recognition to anything he did. He was only "Jes' to'able."

Then the world crashed down upon the happy family. The older brother was permanently crippled by one of three rough characters who had moved into the neighborhood. The father, going to avenge his son, fell dead. Upon the young shoulders of David devolved the responsibilities of the head of the household.

"Tol'able David" was filmed in the locale of the story. It will represent to some city dwellers types and styles of architecture heretofore unknown to them.

Here's Wally Again—Fit as Ever  
The title, "The Hell Diggers," would indicate, the picture is a very over-the-top one. It is a picture in which nearly everyone, figuratively speaking, hops up and demands to be heard.

The so-called "hell-diggers" are a company who, with huge dredges, seek gold at the expense of the beautiful farming country. The horrible machines plough their way thru the land, leaving a path that is arid and stony.

But finally the farmers rise up and refuse to sell the company any more of their land.

Where does Wallace Reid come in? Well, in many, many places. First, we see him as the manager for the company. However he loves the daughter of one of the seething farmers, so he gets busy and invents a machine which will result while

you like Mr. Tearle? See "The Fighter"

HERE'S a picture that gives to the screen's most famous cave-man a role that is quite different from anything he has yet undertaken. You see, ever since the Selznick organization made a star out of him, he hasn't been having the very best vehicles for some reason or other. In "The Fighter" he portrays the part of a man, who, against overwhelming odds, beats the other fellow to it and becomes famous.

"The Fighter" was written by Albert Payson Terhune, which insures its popularity. It lays out the story of a man, who from boyhood had been forced to fight and fight to get ahead in the world. But he finally attained the position of president of the road on which he was once an engineer.

Conquering factors, so-called aristocratic gentlemen, concoct a scheme to

Double Program at the Sigma  
The Sigma's bill today offers two excellent features, each of a widely diversified nature.

The feature picture, "Little Italy," and starring Miss Alice Brady, is one of the best releases Miss Brady

has given us. It is so Italian you can almost smell the garlic. Not in the land of sun and gondolas and vineyards is the action laid, but in Little Italy that lives in New York where the immigrant finds a place to colonize and carry on his old-world customs and styles.

The story is too lengthy to be here inscribed, but be assured that it furnishes heart interest a plenty. Miss Brady is charming as Rosa and is convincing all the time. Norman Kerry, the hero, looks and acts decidedly Italian and has a beautiful curly mustache. George Fawcett is there, as always, but as an Italian papa Morcani he makes an excellent Anglo-Saxon.

So much for two features. "Flashes of Action," the U. S. War Film is also showing at the Sigma. To me the pictures seem real and fascinating, but read what an ex-service man who saw the picture Thursday, has to say about it.

"It's one thing to take an active part in a great war, and it's another thing to sit on the side lines and see it. It's one thing to be weighted down with a pack, grenades, rifle and ammunition — to be pressed for-

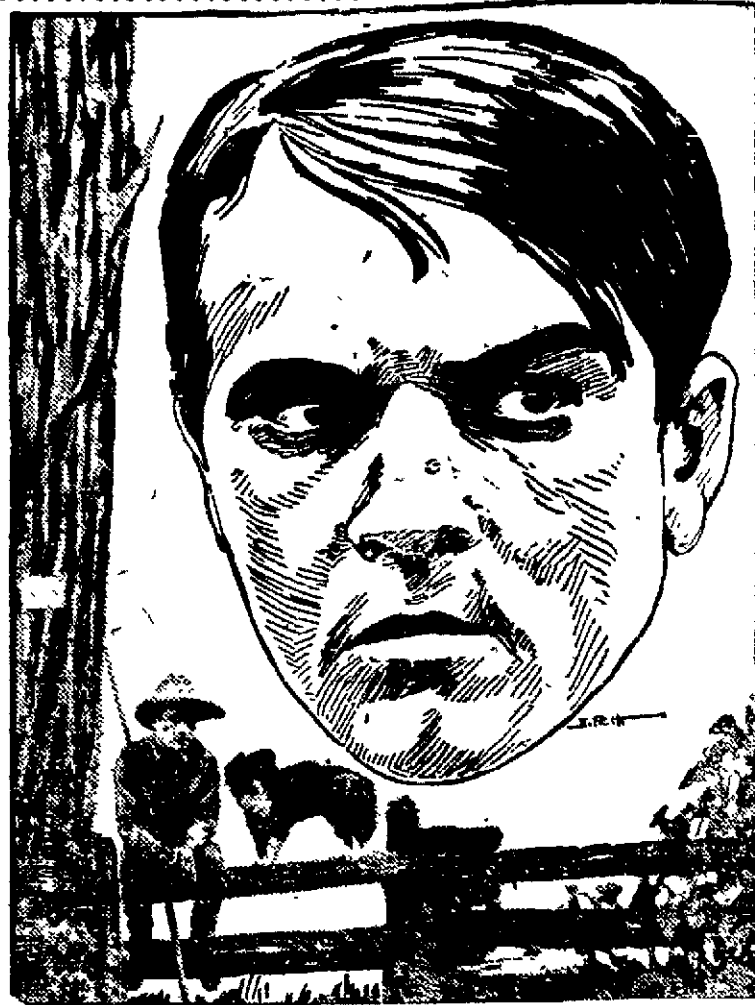
ward thru muck and slime, sometimes waist deep, and it's another thing to sit in a comfortable theatre chair and watch some other fellow do it.

"These are some of the impressions I gained after witnessing the U. S. Government's Official War Films 'Flashes of Action.'"

"The pictures took me back to the early days of the war. The embarkation scenes were very good and the views on the transport and destroyers were vivid reminders of the hazardous trip across."

"A scene that impressed me particularly was where elements of the 77th Division were seen advancing in the Argonne. Two men were noticed going to the rear. (Why they should be going to the rear, I don't know—unless they were medical corps men) suddenly, these men stopped. They heard that rushing whistling shell coming at them. They apparently were dazed for a second. Realizing the close proximity of the shell, they drop to the ground—but too late."

"The scenes of the artillery in action are so realistic one feels one can hear the roar of the guns and those pictures of the barrage at night intermingled by airplane sig-



Richard Barthelmess as he appears in "Tol'able David," his first starring picture.

## "Sawing Thru a Woman" Unusual Offering

THE Orpheum theatre, in addition to its musical comedy program, presents as a special added attraction, T. P. Sibt's original, Keith sensation "Sawing Thru a Woman" in which Mr. Sibt seemingly places a woman on a table and saws her body in half. Gruesome, certainly. The effect is one of the most realistic and most mystifying acts ever shown at the Orpheum, and is creating a sensation.

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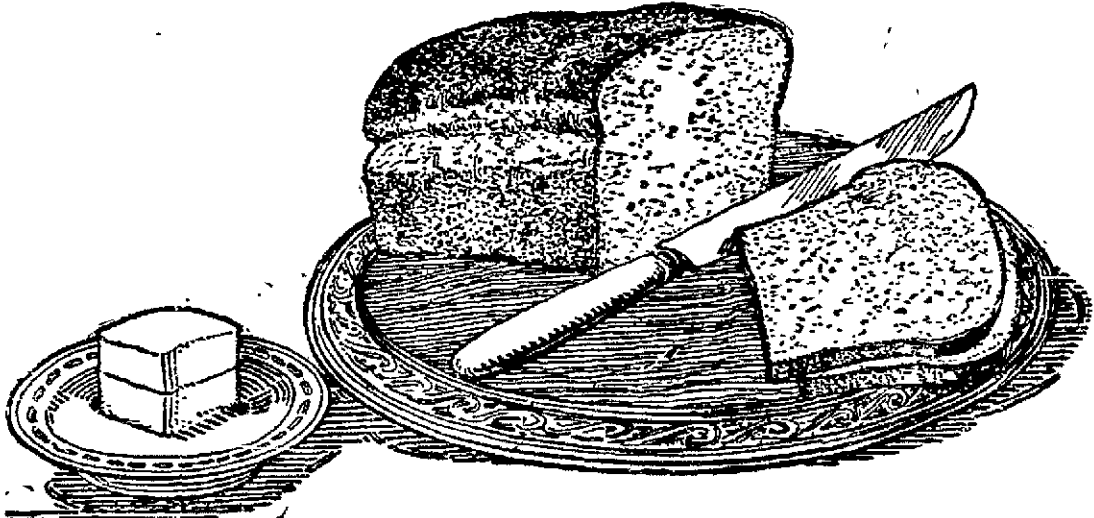
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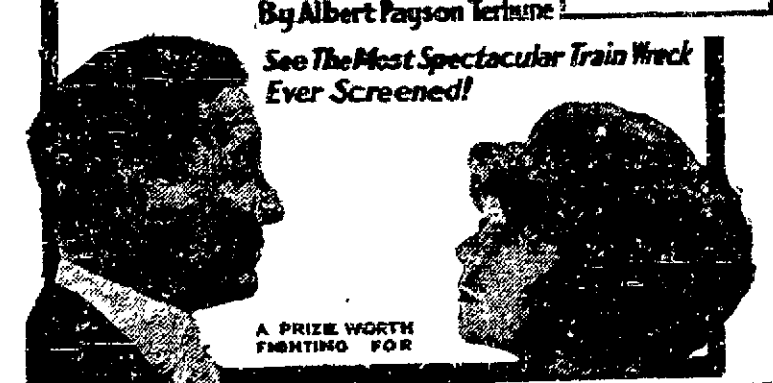
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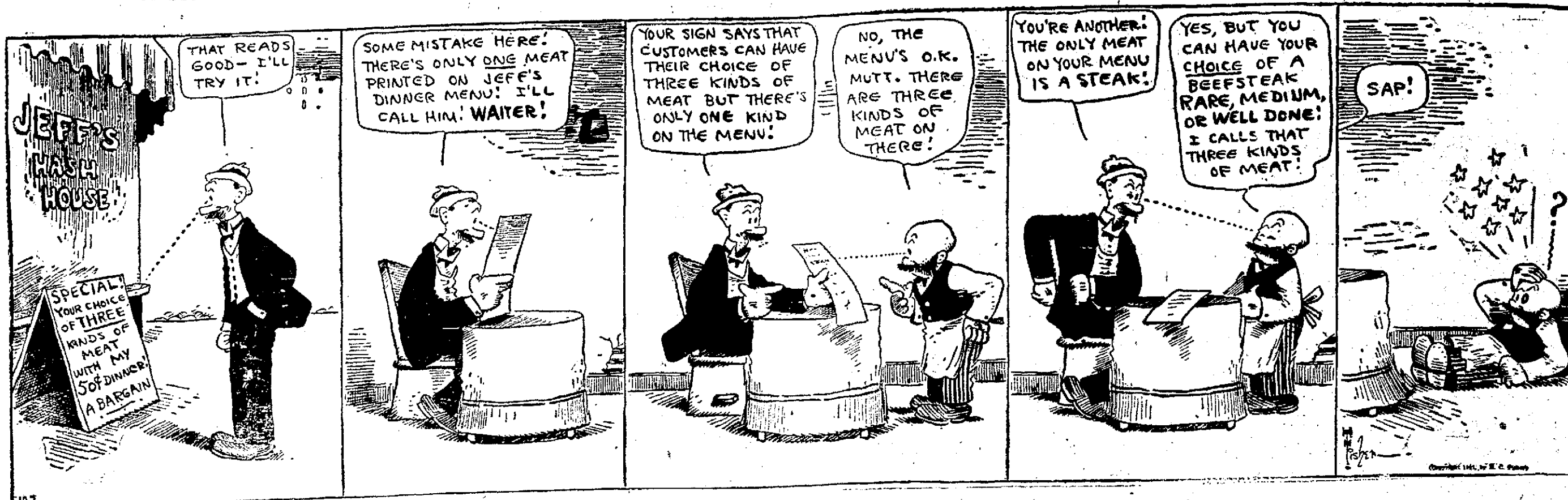






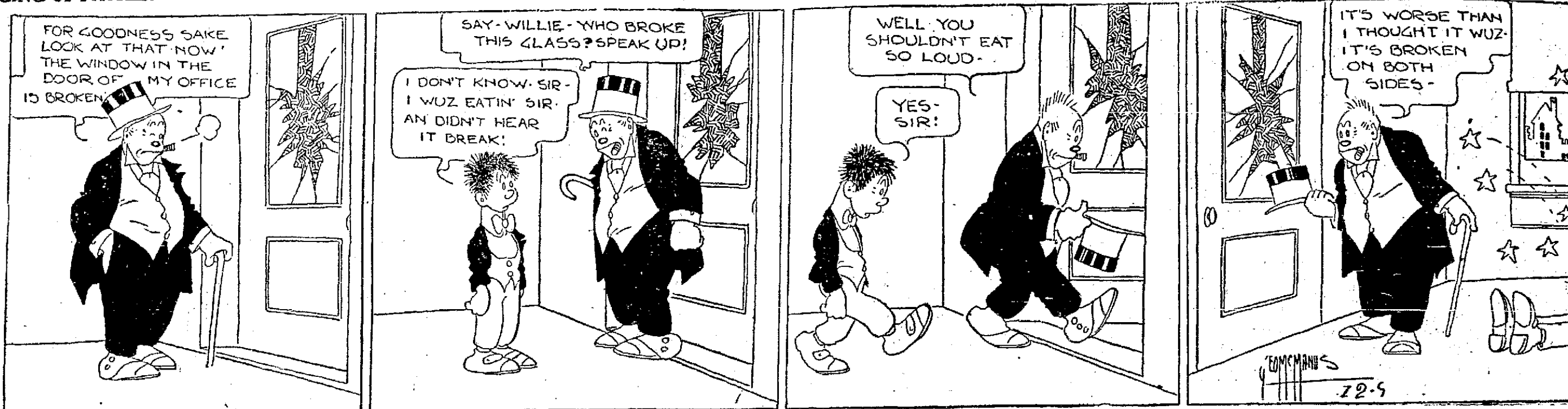
MUTT AND JEFF—JEFF STRETCHES HIS IMAGINATION AT TIMES—

By BUD FISHER



BRINGING UP FATHER—

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SHORT SHAVINGS

Roy Bowersock, the "Old Cap Collier" of Allen-co protective forces, was left at home to wash dishes while his wife went to the movies. "I didn't have much luck," he reports. "I think it was because I put buckwheat flour in the water by mistake for washing powder."

Bob Mitchell, fastest student at Central H.S., awoke in the middle of the night recently, thinking he heard phonograph music. "It wasn't that," he says. "My cot bed turned over with me and pitched me out on my nose."

Al Stolzenbach of insurance fame bought a brand new derby a few days ago. That night he sported the new sky-piece to church. On the way home he stopped at the Williams & Davis mortuary. There

friends began to "pan" the new lid. Next day he exchanged it for a different shape. Haberdasher who sold the hat has refused further exchanges and sent a note of warning to all critics.

Jimmy Howell, printer, formerly of Waynesfield, started to learn to play a saxophone in his flat. Neighbors complained. The landlord said he must quit playing or move. "But they say one who gets a taste for saxophone playing can't quit," reports a friend of Howell. "He moved."

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## DURBIN AND BURKHARDT IN WRANGLE

Civil Service Commissioner Continues Probe on Question List

MAYOR DEMANDS STATEMENT

Attorney May Ask Chief Executive to Take Hand

Investigation of the origin of a list of questions and answers similar to those which have been used in the past in civil service examinations for the police department found in the office of the chief of police, was continued Friday by Francis W. Durbin, member of the commission.

Durbin announced his intention of going to the bottom of the affair and learning if the questions were handed out for the purpose of allowing any particular candidate to "buck up" and pass with a perfect grade. The questions on the list found at the police station were pronounced by Durbin to be identical with those given in examinations. The list was discovered in a desk used by Captain Norton F. Dawson, during his brief tenure as police head.

### LIGHT ON INCIDENT

Dawson was testifying before the grand jury Friday, as was Fred W. Zeis, the only member of the commission who has not positively denied handing the list out.

The list according to Dawson, was written out by Sergeant George Strick and dictated by Attorney W. W. Sutton.

It was written, he stated, for the benefit of a number of officers on the force who were to be examined for sergeant during the summer.

Sutton admitted Friday that he had given out a list of general questions and answers, for some of the officers to study. He could not state positively whether it is the list found at the station.

"I was asked to give them some information and answers," explained Sutton. "Just common knowledge about courts and law. One question was: What is a warrant; another what is a subpoena?"

**DURBIN-BURKHARDT CLASH**  
Friction between Mayor Burkhardt and Commissioner Durbin developed late Thursday when the city executive called Durbin on the telephone and demanded to know if he was present at the police station as a member of the civil service commission, at roll call Wednesday.

Burkhardt is said to have told Mayor Durbin that he would visit the station whenever he so desired.

"I am protecting the city's interests," the mayor is said to have told the commissioner.

Later in the day Burkhardt is alleged to have sought to learn from Durbin if he had been present at roll call Wednesday, and if Durbin visited headquarters with Chief Ross.

The arguments between the two heads of the city government, Burkhardt sought to learn if Durbin had been at the station, as an official or on private business, Durbin said.

"Are you trying to interrogate me?" Durbin demanded.

The mayor is also said to have sought to learn if Durbin was acting as counsel for Ross.

Durbin endeavored to get an interview with Mayor Burkhardt Friday, with the intention, he said, of learning if he is required to ask Burkhardt's permission to visit the station.

**OTHERS VISIT STATION**  
He also announced his intention of calling attention of Mayor Burkhardt to alleged visits to the police station by other members of the commission.

"If an visits to headquarters warrant investigation," he said, "I want him to be interrogated by other members as to their business there."

Mayor Burkhardt explained his object in questioning Durbin was plain. "If there as member of the commission he would be asked for an explanation," the chief executive said.

Durbin said he went to the station to consult Willis Kipper, a client. "I was there as an attorney and client," he declared. "It's nobody's affair when I go to the police station or who I see there."

Durbin called on Burkhardt prior to noon, and in a conference the matter was adjusted to the satisfaction of both men.

**BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU IS PLANNED**  
Efforts of the Lima Merchants' association to create a Better Business bureau to work in conjunction with the present system, are nearing maturity, according to information Friday.

Representatives of the Ft. Wayne Better Business bureau will come to Lima Thursday evening, for a general discussion with the Lima Merchants' association board of directors, to outline the plan in vogue in the Indiana city. Several members of the Better Business association at Columbus are expected to attend the meeting.

The conference is expected to develop some stable plan whereby the Lima Merchants' association will incorporate the principles of truthful advertising and the first step toward organization of a Better Business bureau in Lima, it was stated Thursday.

# KERSHAW NOT MURDERED ON ORDER FROM DOPE RING

SHE WEDS TWICE IN ONE MONTH!



MRS. LESLIE A. LIND  
CHICAGO—Married twice the same month!

But to the same husband! That's the experience of Mrs. Leslie A. Lind, 20 social leader of Chicago's younger set.

"The second ceremony was prompted by conscience," says the double bride. "You see, Leslie and I eloped and were married by a justice of the peace. That lacked solemnity.

"And anyhow I like the thrill of being a bride. So we decided to do it all over again only this time in a church."

"Marriages made to order," as Mrs. Lind styles the kind performed in law offices, are ill omened starts in matrimony, she says.

But a church, lends lasting respect for the union of both man and woman.

**EX-ARMY SURGEON PUT TO DEATH**

Electrocuted at Richmond, Va., For Murder of Wife

**RICHMOND, Va.**—(By Associated Press)—Dr. Wilmer Amos Hadley, former army surgeon and ranchman, was put to death in the electric chair in the state penitentiary early today for the murder of his wife, Mrs. Sue Hadley, in November, 1918.

Prison attendants declare Hadley went to his death calmly and stoically.

Dr. Hadley made no statement before death further than to say he had made his peace with God and was prepared for the end.

**SENSATIONAL CASE**  
The execution closed one of the most sensational murder cases in the criminal history of Richmond and recalled the case a few years ago of Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., to which it was similar in many respects.

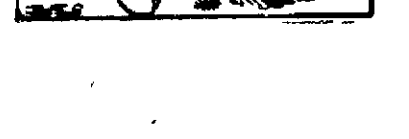
Mrs. Hadley's body was found in the James river near Richmond on December 30, 1918, by a negro trapper and was identified by the woman's sister several weeks later. A search for Dr. Hadley was begun by local authorities which carried them thru many states and parts of Canada and he finally was apprehended on a ranch in New Mexico.

**CONFESSION MADE**  
At the time of his arrest he was in disguise and under an assumed name. He was taken to Denver, Colorado, where, according to the Henrico-co authorities, he made a written confession that he had killed his wife. This confession was used against him in his trial.

In the confession he declared he also shot a "mysterious" Dr. Griffin, a fellow surgeon in the army, but an investigation proved this to be unfounded which Hadley finally admitted.

From the time of his arrest last August until his death today, Dr. Hadley maintained a taciturn calmness and indifference.

**16 DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS**  
AND ONLY 14 MORE SHOPPING DAYS!



## ISLAND DEFENSES MAY BE HALTED

Fortification Question Before Conference For First Time

EARLY AGREEMENT EXPECTED

Far Eastern Committee Adjourns Till Tomorrow

WASHINGTON — (By Associated Press) — The rapidly moving arms conference had reached a point of comparative pause today, with the Far Eastern committee in adjournment until tomorrow and the next important step in the negotiations on naval ratio and the proposed four power treaty apparently waiting on a definite statement of the attitude of the Japanese government. Meanwhile the Japanese and Chinese delegations held another session today of their separate conference on the Shantung question, discussion of the restoration to China of the public properties in the Japanese leasehold there having been continued yesterday without final disposition.

**FORTIFICATION QUESTION**  
As a major feature in the prospective agreements the question of limitation of fortifications and naval bases in the Pacific islands has been brought into prominence for the first time today. Although the subject has not advanced to the stage of formal exchanges, the American delegates have given assurances to the Japanese that it would be considered as a natural corollary of the naval reduction plan and indications point to an ultimate agreement on the principle of abandoning further development of island defenses.

Press reports that the Japanese government had decided to accept the four power treaty plan for preserving peace in the Pacific, conditional on an agreement on the naval ratio and further application of the American "four points" to China, were accepted here as further embracing interdependence of the negotiations of those problems and as supporting the opinion that they would be advanced simultaneously to the point of a general understanding on all. Separate treaties and agreements then would remain to be drawn up to cover them.

**RESPONSES AWAITED**  
Definite word was awaited from the French government today, as well as from Tokyo as to acceptance of the principle of the proposed four power treaty. An early favorable response from France was looked for in reply to the recommendation of its delegates that their government accept a place in the new arrangement. The British government is understood to have already accepted the proposal in principle and the American delegates have proceeded to the point of indicating a willingness to discuss details.

**BANDIT CAPTURED**

Policeman-Foils Robbery of Bank At Cincinnati

**CINCINNATI** — (By Associated Press) — A man giving the name of William Rapp of this city, entered the First National Bank here this forenoon, walked up to the bank's private watchman, Harry Rusche, thrust a revolver against the policeman and said "Hands Up! Open that cage," pointing to a compartment in which was stationed an assistant cashier. The watchman, instead of raising his hands, knocked the revolver from the robber's hand, then seized him. There was a short but fierce struggle that ended when one or two other employees of the bank reached the spot and assisted the watchman.

The police say that Rapp, after his arrest, confessed to having held up a Central-ay grocery store yesterday, obtaining about \$25.

Rapp, according to the police, said he was out of work and desperate.

**WINTER NOW HERE; AWNINGS DISAPPEAR**

Winter has officially arrived in Lima.

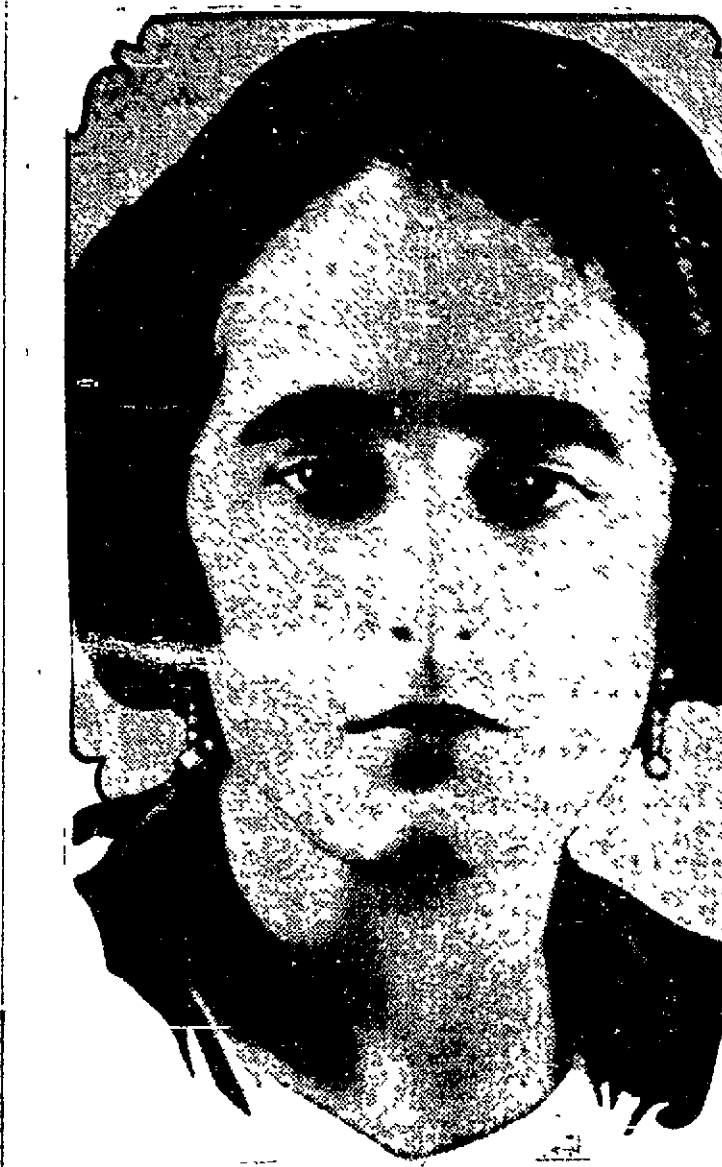
Each year the coming of the winter king may be determined by the removal of the awnings from the Alameda court house. They are usually the last of summer to disappear.

William Felt, custodian of the county building, began the removal of the awnings Friday. Much cold weather may now be expected.

**JURY FAILS ON VERDICT IN YOUNGSTOWN CASE**

**YOUNGSTOWN** — The jury in the case of Rodney Hostler, on trial for first degree murder in connection with the killing of Isadore Wozniak May 19, reported a disagreement today and was discharged. The jury had been out since yesterday afternoon. Corridor gossip said the jurors stood 8 to 4 for conviction.

NOVELIST TO WED HIS IDEAL



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**LONDON** — (Special) — "Just like the heroine of a W. L. George novel. As beautiful, as witty, as attractive, as modern!"

Folks used to say that about Miss Kathleen Geipel, W. L. George heard about it. He met her.

Now, in truth, she'll be the heroine of a W. L. George romance. For the novelist will marry her this month!

And they'll sail for America Dec. 21 and spend their honeymoon there.

## BANDIT DISARMS GUARDS, ESCAPES FROM DEATH CELL

Doomed Man Takes Six Others From Arkansas Penitentiary

**LITTLE ROCK, Ark.** — (By United Press) — Tom Slaughter, notorious bandit of the southwest staged one of the most daring and spectacular prison breaks in southwestern criminal history early today when he escaped from the death cell of the state penitentiary here.

Following his escape with six other convicts Slaughter engaged in a gun battle with officers at Benton and Lonsdale and after eluding capture is believed enroute to his old haunts in Texas and Oklahoma.

Slaughter spent five hours wandering around inside the prison walls before making his final dash to liberty.

**WOMEN LOCKED UP**  
Feloness Slaughter summoned a guard and asked for a blanket. The guard opening the door and advancing to the bandit's cot was covered by a gun which friends had smuggled to the prisoner.

Slaughter disarmed the guard and forced him to lead the way to the warden's office where he "covered" three guards and forced them to lay down on the floor while he disarmed them.

Next he went to the hospital where he forced a nurse to lead him to the quarters of the wife and daughter of the warden. These women he locked in the death cell.

He then threw open the lock which secured the doors of the cells and told the convicts that all who wished to accompany him could do so. Six stated their desire to attempt the escape. The others refused.

Among those who refused were six negroes under death sentence for participation in the Elaine, Ark., riots some time ago. Slaughter then locked the doors on the convicts who refused to accompany him.

Proceeding to the jail yard, he took the tires from all automobiles in the inclosure except the one in which he planned to escape. He went to the storehouse and hoisted six companions outfitted in civilian clothes.

Swinging open the great gates of the prison, Slaughter with his companions, made their escape about 2:30 a. m.—five hours from the time he gained his freedom from the death cell.

No one was injured in the spectacular escape.

Slaughter was under sentence of death for the murder of a trust; at an Arkansas prison farm last September. The date of the execution was set for December 15, but an appeal was pending which would have gained for him a stay.

Investigation by The Lima News Uncovers Evidence Showing He Was Not Connected With Conspiracy as Charged In Recent Statements

Shifting of Blame Believed to be Motive for Conflicting Stories Following Slaying of Lima War Hero In Box Car

Joseph Scott Kershaw was not slain on an order from a "dope ring."

The name of one of Lima's foremost war heroes who met death at the hands of an assassin a month ago will not be besmirched by the stigma society places on the peddler of this curse.

The Lima News has conducted an investigation on its own account and is prepared to make these statements now. They are backed by proof of the most positive character and from sources unquestionably authentic.

Long before the legal battle which is to come over the slaying of Kershaw takes place, the proof will have become public. Then the public will have the opportunity of judging for itself whether "Scotty" Kershaw was a "dope" peddler.

It is certain that this proof will show that he was not connected with any existing dope ring in this locality.

### RELATIVES OF DEAD MAN NEVER BELIEVED HE WAS IMPLICATED

Kershaw's family—his father, brother and sisters and his girl-widow—have never believed he was implicated in the drug business.

"We were hungry days before he was killed," said the young widow. "We had only a sandwich apiece for three days before he was murdered. If he had been in the drug business, he certainly would have had money enough to buy food," she said when the charge was made several days ago that he was killed on an order from higher-ups in the ring. She also said her husband had never been away from home at night during their married life of a year.

"I appreciate what you have done," said P. A. Kershaw Friday, when informed by The News that proof existed that his son was not connected with a ring. "Scotty" never had any money. The drug game is on a cash basis. He did not have enough cash to handle it even if he had wanted to. He would not have been the man picked by a ring to do its work, for he could not have swang the financial end," he added.

**NIERENGARTEN SAYS MAN WAS SHOT BY AGENT OF CONSPIRACY**

Harold Nierengarten is credited with the statement a short time ago that he did not shoot Kershaw while they were riding in the B. & O. box car between Lima and Wapakoneta. He is alleged to have said that "Scotty" was killed by a representative of a ring sent out from Toledo to do the work.

This statement has not been given much credence and the proof to come out later undoubtedly will prove that there is no foundation for the statement.

It is believed as a result of the investigation of The News that the various conflicting statements are being issued for a purpose—that of throwing off suspicion where guilt actually exists. It is expected that this will be shown publicly when the matter is finally cleared up.

The discovery of a large shipment of drugs to this city at approximately the time Kershaw was killed is believed to have offered an excuse for the statements and attempt to place blame on a dead man, who could not defend himself.

**ROBBERY THEORY FOR KILLING OF KERSHAW STILL REMAINS**

The theory of robbery, with the elimination of the drug theory, now is taken to be foremost. It is known that young Kershaw received a sum of money from his father shortly before he met death, but had only a few cents in his pockets when killed.

It is probable that this will be the motive on which the prosecution will act when the case comes to trial.

## 3 HINTS FOR 1,600 MEN FREED SHOPPERS

Irish Prisoners Released Under Amnesty Proclamation

**BELFAST** — (By Associated Press) — The 1,600 interred men in the Ballykinler camp were released today under the amnesty proclamation and left for their homes amid scenes of enthusiasm. Folders' songs were freely chorused at the railway station and the car windows of the trains bearing away the released men were ablaze with the Sinn Féin colors.

Diverse opinions were expressed among the men on the new turn of the Irish situation given by Eamon DeValera's statement in opposition to the treaty. The republican leaders had many supporters, some of whom had fought with him in the Dublin rebellion, who declared their implicit confidence in him, while others expressed themselves strongly for the agreement.

In Belfast an opinion widely expressed is that the liberation of the interred men at this juncture will react unfavorably on the treaty's chances.

**DEER AMONG CATTLE**  
TROY — Grazing with cattle on the Hayner farms near here for the past ten days a big doe is making itself quite at home according to reports of the local farmers. The deer is so tame that he is able to approach within 20 feet of it.

**RAIL HEADS MEET**  
NEW YORK — Action which the eastern railroads will take in asking wage reductions from their employees was being determined today at a conference of managers and supervisory officials of lines operating north of the Ohio river and east of the Mississippi. The dates on which the strike is "100 per cent effective" and that 50,000 men are out in the different packing centers.

**MOONSHINE LIQUOR**  
A big factor in the fight here. Twenty prohibition enforcement officers are working in the area about the stock yards, hunting for moonshine stills. In one house a large still was found and a barrel of liquor emptied into the gutter.

Suppers have made their appearance in the yards district here and added to the difficulty of controlling the mobs.

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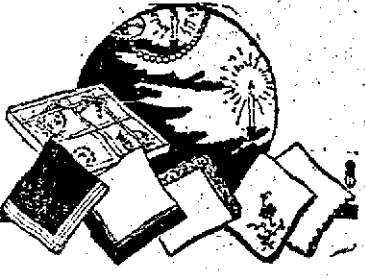




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SATURDAY—Real cape gloves for women in two clasp style with pique seams and black stitchings in assorted brown and tan, very serviceable gift

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SATURDAY—Round and oval style fancy mirrors, heavy plate, in plain and carved styles and assorted sizes, very appropriate gifts and

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### Women's Cotton Umbrella

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## REALTY LOANS AT THE FRONT

Outdistance Rail Securities Held by Insurance Men

DATA GIVEN AT CONVENTION

Association Presidents Open Meeting in New York

NEW YORK — (By Associated Press) — Real estate mortgage loans have far outdistanced railroad securities as the leading investment held by life insurance companies, according to original statistics submitted to the 15th annual convention of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents here today.

Speaking on "A Decade of Life Insurance Investments," Asa S. Wing, president of the Provident Life and Trust Company of Philadelphia, stated that the real estate mortgage loans of the life companies have doubled in ten years, increasing from \$1,225,000,000 at the end of 1911 to \$2,468,000,000 on October 31 of this year.

**POLICY LOANS THIRD**  
Investments in railroad securities were \$1,515,000,000 at the end of 1911 as against \$1,793,000,000 at the end of 1920. Real estate mortgage loans form more than 32 per cent of the total assets of the companies now, while railroad securities, which formed more than 35 per cent 10 years ago, have dropped to 26 per cent. Policy loans of \$320,000,000, rank third, and United States government bonds of \$172,000,000 are a close fourth, being 11.30 per cent of the assets. Other investments include state, county and municipal bonds and real estate. The total assets of the companies are in excess of \$7,300,000,000.

Referring to the huge increase in real estate mortgage loans, President Wing said much of it had gone to the farmers, but that there is now a discernible trend toward the city again to meet housing re-

quirements. On this point he said: "In order that this convention might have the latest data as to the trend of life insurance investments in mortgage loans, 47 companies holding more than 1 per cent of the assets of American companies have just made reports showing the total amount of their farm and city mortgages as of October 31, 1921. I find that \$261,900,000 have been added in the ten months from December 31, 1920, to October 31, 1921 making a total of \$2,468,000,000 real estate mortgage loans on October 31 of this year. Of this total, \$1,247,300,000 is on farm property and \$1,221,300,000 on city property. Therefore, for the first time in the history of the country, the total amount of farm loans held by life insurance companies now exceeds the loans on city property, the proportion being 50.52 per cent loans on farms as against 49.47 per cent on city property.

Of the increase of \$261,900,000 in mortgage loans during the first ten months of this year, \$161,300,000 is in farm mortgages and \$100,600,000 in city mortgages. The increase in farm mortgages is greater in amount than the increase in city mortgages during these ten months, as was the case in 1920 but there is still the same tendency that I previously pointed out, namely, to increase the proportion of loans on city property as compared with farms. This trend of investment toward the city has been strongly manifested since 1919 and can be shown most clearly by the proportion of new money now going into each class of mortgages during the last few years. Please note, during 1918 and 1919, that 91.02 per cent of all the net increase in loans was on farm property and 8.97 per cent on city property. In 1920, the proportion

of money invested in farm loans dropped 62.78 per cent, while the city loans increased to 36.22 per cent. "During the first ten months of 1921, the same tendency has continued and the proportion of farm loans has dropped to 61.59 per cent while that on city property has increased to 38.41 per cent. With justifiable pride, speaking at an insurance gathering, I can point to the investment of life insurance funds where the greatest need of the nation has called. During the last six years it was vital for this nation, for itself and the part it was playing, that our agriculture should be stimulated to highest productivity. That the companies met this condition is shown in the percentage of agricultural loans. There is at the moment another imperative demand—that of construction building up with deferred building in our cities. The national tendency of insurance company investments to meet imperative, justifiable demands is made equally clear in the now perceptible trend toward city loans again."

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## PRINCESS DIES BY OWN HAND

Facts in Chinese Boy Emperor's Mother's Death Revealed

RESULT OF PLOTTER ROW

Simms Throws Light on Scheme to Restore Monarchy

(BY WM. PHILIP SIMMS)  
Written Exclusively for The Lima News

WASHINGTON—One more amazing chapter must be added to the international intrigue to put the deposed Boy Emperor back on the throne of China.

Despite powerful efforts to keep the tragedy a secret, it is now known that Princess Chun, the lad's mother, did not die a natural death as stated, but committed suicide after a scene between herself and the empress dowager.

Thru a friend in Peking I have just come in possession of the strange details.

The story throws into vivid relief the morbid atmosphere out of which certain British, Japanese and Chinese plotters would lift their candidate to the dragon throne.

MOVING FOR YEAR  
For more than a year these international schemers have been promoting a match between the boy emperor Hsuan Tung, now 17, and the young daughter of Hsu Shih-chang, president of China.

They believe the marriage of the Manchurian "emperor" and the Chinese girl would please the southern Chi-

nese and thus remove the objections to a restoration.

The empress dowager, according to my informant, is an ardent supporter of this match. The boy emperor's mother, the Princess Chun, was just as ardently against it. She preferred her great niece, daughter of her nephew and the boy's first cousin—instead.

The boy emperor himself, it is said, does not want to marry either one, his choice being his own mother's young sister; in short his aunt. So with this new love triangle in full swing, the Arabian Nights atmosphere of the imperial court became surcharged with personal spite and jealousies.

LAD BACKS MOTHER  
The "Lord of Ten Thousand Years," as the lad is called, sided with his mother and was willing to take his first cousin to wed instead of either his aunt or the daughter of President Hsu.

The empress dowager was furious. It is said, and called the boy's mother on the carpet. The young "emperor" objected and took his mother's part.

The row continued for three days, Prince Chun, the lad's father, falling in a faint during one of the scenes.

On Oct. 1 the Princess Chun took opium and died.

ANOTHER VERSION  
Another version has it that the court physician one day failed to show the empress dowager the respect she felt was her due, whereupon she called the boy emperor down. Prince and Princess Chun took their son's part and the quarrel followed.

Whichever story is true, the Princess Chun today lies in a suicide's grave; the empress dowager is slowly recovering from illness; Prince Chun is broken over the loss of his wife and the boy emperor is in mourning for his mother.

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Genuine cowhide leather traveling bags, solidly constructed, finely leather lined, black or brown, heavy kind—**8.95**

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Men's durable dress suspenders, strong elastic webbing and leather ends, put up in fancy boxes—**49c**

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MEN'S SIL



# LIMA MEN RESCUE TWO FROM DEATH

Found in Colorado Snow After Third Man Perishes—

How Herbert G. Kutz, 28, former Toledo man, met a tragic death from freezing and exposure in the snow-covered mountains of Colorado; how his rigid body and his two companions, both near death from over-exertion and cold, were found by A. E. Harshe, Y. M. C. A. secretary in Denver, and who formerly resided at 626 N. Elizabeth-st., was flashed to this city Friday afternoon just after the arrival of Mrs. Harshe and children to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Richlin, 644 N. Elizabeth-st.

Kutz, employed by the Texas Oil company in Denver, met death when an automobile in which he and two friends had left Denver on a hunting expedition, became stalled in a snow drift in the mountain, miles away from any community. The three labored in zero temperature thru one night in their efforts to get the machine back on the highway. Early in the morning Kutz fell over dead. His face, feet and hands were frozen.

Harshe, in company with Roy Wingate, son of Mont Wingate, formerly member of the Lima police force, found the dead man and his two companions, the latter near death from exposure, as they were passing the spot in an automobile. First aid was given the survivors and they were later taken to Denver with the body of their companion.

Harshe left Lima last August, conveying his family to Denver in an automobile.

We pay 6 per cent interest on money, interest paid semi-annually. You can draw your money at any time. The Wagner Loan Company 130 South Main-st.

GET YOUR CHRISTMAS VICTOR RECORDS AT ROWLANDS—LARGEST STOCK OF ALL VICTOR RECORDS.

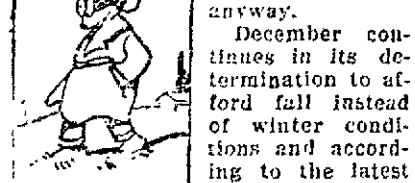
# CLASH COMES IN FORECAST

WEATHER forecasts are tricky things. Perverse temperature likes to do the very thing the forecaster predicts it won't do. This is understood by most everyone — and nobody cares much about it, anyway.

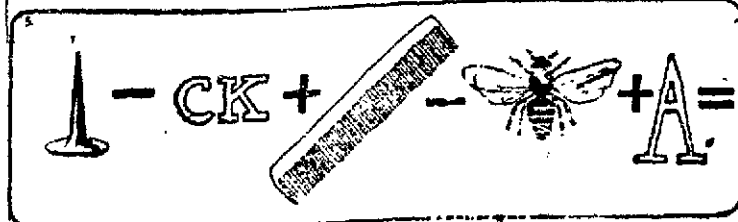
December continues in its determination to afford fall instead of winter conditions and according to the latest forecast release, it will be fair tonight and Saturday.

The prognosticator doesn't say so, but any number of goosebone prophets and those who hold that aching corns are infallible signs that rain is near at hand, will tell you their corns are hurting something fierce.

So look out for a downpour and don't be disappointed if the prospect fails of realization.



# Geographic Puzzles



YESTERDAY'S ANSWER:  
SEA + CATTLE + T - CAT = SEATTLE

# URGES ROCK PILE

Safety Director Would Make Prisoners Work

Director of Safety D. W. Dorris advocates the return to the old rock-pile system, by which prisoners who are incarcerated in the city jail can be made to work out their fines.

At present if a prisoner refuses to pay a fine for a misdemeanor, the court has but little choice but to

free him.

The fund from which prisoners are fed is low, despite the fact that the allowance per meal is but 15 cents. Formerly it was 25. Dorris reduced the ration allowance shortly after taking office.

There is also considerable painting and repair work needed about the safety building and the safer believes the work could be done by prisoners.

The only thing to prevent having work done in the way suggested is lack of money.

The city has no funds available for the purchase of paint, Dorris said.

**Crawford's Bootery**  
138 N. Main St.

CRAWFORD'S FOOTWEAR ALWAYS PLEASES

## Saturday Bargains In Crawford's Down-Stairs Store

Of course you will want new shoes for the Holidays whether you go away for Christmas or entertain in your own home, you are with friends and relatives that you don't see every day and you are anxious to look your very best. New Shoes are one of the first things you'll want. Then, too, there's something festive about Christmas that makes one want to dress up for the occasion. Our display of Winter Footwear for street and dress is very extensive, styles are most attractive and just before Christmas when there is so much to be bought these moderate prices are of great interest.

### Tan Calf Boots

Women's tan calf boots, high lace tops and low, broad heels. Good-year well sewed soles. An exceptional value in Crawford's Down Stairs Store, at \$5.85.

5.85

### Women's Lace Boots

Black Kid or Tan Calf

Women's all black kid lace boots, also same style in tan calf with military heels, Goodyear well sewed soles. All sizes and widths from A to E. Specially priced in Crawford's Down-Stairs Store at

5.85

### Women's Christmas Slippers \$1.98

Fur Trimmed Julietts at \$1.98

Women's fur trimmed Julietts in all the pretty colors for gifts. Made from excellent quality felt. Comfortable and durable—sure to bring good cheer on Christmas morning.



Comfy Slippers of felt, in pink, Alice blue, navy, lavender, purple, old rose and Oxford grey. They'll brighten many a Christmas tree in Lima.

### Golashes

Black or Brown Four-Buckle Styles

\$4

### Women's and Girls wo-Tone Tan Sport Oxfords

Women's and girls' two-tone tan sport oxfords. Low military heels with rubber top lift. Medium round toes. The newest style model of the season. Strictly an \$8 quality. Just moved down stairs to be closed out at, special \$5.85. Widths AAA to D, sizes 2 1/2 to 8.

\$5.85

### Men's Romeos

Black or tan Romeos in comfort-giving lasts. Splendid quality and a special value at

1.98

### School Shoes

Boys' and Children's dark tan school shoes, high lace tops, nature shaped sole or English styles, all kid leather, turn and thru. Also same styles in the black calf. Sizes 2 to 8. Special values at

2.98

### Boys' School and Dress Shoes \$2.98

Boys' school and dress shoes in dark tan calf and genuine gun metal calf. English lasts and full round toe styles. Goodyear well sewed soles and extra heavy outer soles which assure you more wear to the pair. Sizes 10 to 13 1/2, \$2.98. Big boys' sizes, 1 to 4, \$3.85.

### Boys' Storm Boots

SIZES 9 TO 13 1/2 SIZES 1 TO 6

2.98

3.48

### Rubber Boots For Little Tots

Rubber Boots for all of Santa Claus' little friends. Two styles, plain black and with red tops. Sizes 5 to 10 1/2, choice of styles at

\$1.85

Don't Worry About Size — A Fit Assured After Christmas

## Join the Empire Hoosier Xmas Club. \$1.00 Cash Secures the Cabinet Club Now Open. Come at Once and Select Yours

**HOOSIER Saves Steps**

—nothing you can give a woman will add so much to her joy — not only this Christmas, but throughout her lifetime—as will the HOOSIER Kitchen Cabinet.

With a HOOSIER in her kitchen, every unnecessary step, every waste motion in preparing meals, and cleaning up after them, is eliminated.

HOOSIER is the gift which has been developed by women—for women. Two million HOOSIER owners, by their suggestions, assisted in making the HOOSIER America's Favorite Kitchen Convenience.

And think of it—how often in your life will you have an opportunity to give the woman you love a gift that is sure to make her happy the rest of her life?

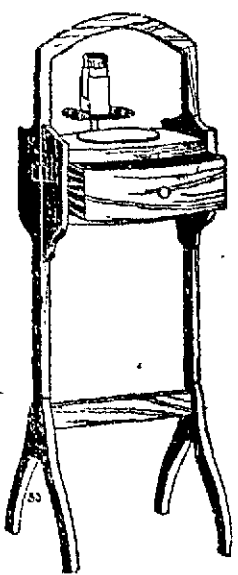
Come in at once and let us show you our complete line of HOOSIER Cabinets. You'll soon see that you can't afford to let your wife do without the HOOSIER.

CLUB TERMS:  
\$1.00 Cash  
Balance to suit  
Seven Piece Aluminum Set with each Cabinet

## Jot This Down on That Xmas List

Seven Piece Aluminum Set consists of—  
Coffee Percolator  
Tea Kettle  
Double Boiler  
Roaster, and  
Three Different size handled Sauce Pan.  
THE GRANDEST OF ALL GIFTS.  
THE GIFT THAT WILL LAST A LIFETIME.

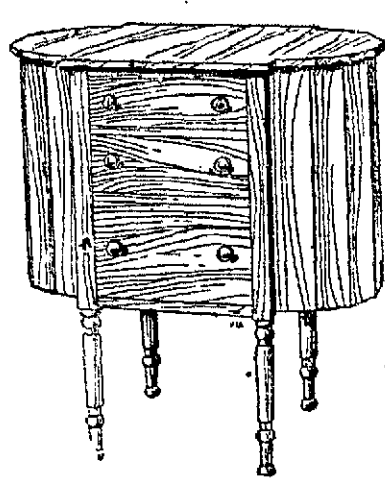
\$1.00 CASH IS ALL YOU PAY



**Mahogany Finished Smoker**

—of high quality, like cut, with small cigarette drawer, ash tray and match holder. A fine piece—only

\$8.75



**Martha Washington Sewing Cabinet**

Mahogany finished. A fine gift for the lady of the house. Finished inside. Lots of room for sewing in drawers and in each end.

Specially priced at \$21.25

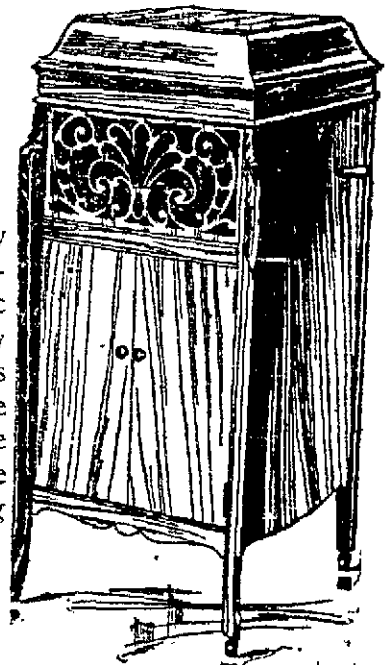
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It has double spring motor, fully guaranteed. Plays all make records, nickel trimmings, automatic stop, record file in bottom. Finely finished in brown mahogany. Stands 47 inches high. We secured these 'way below regular price and are offering them to you at the same great saving we made in buying them.

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This Year Give Furniture for Xmas. Look Over Our Line



## FOOTWEAR SPECIALS

MEN'S SHOES	MEN'S BROGUE SHOES	WOMEN'S OXFORDS
Brown calf, Good-year welt with rubber heel, 100% leather.	Brown, with French toe, special	Brown calf, with military heel, priced special.
<b>\$4.95</b>	<b>\$8.45</b>	<b>\$4.00</b>

# THE DEISEL CO.

Lima's Big Christmas Store

## GIFT HOUSE SLIPPERS

Women's House Slippers, ribbon and fur trimmed, all colors. Leather sole and heel. Special	<b>\$1.95</b>
Children's Felt Comfy's, light, dark blue and red	<b>\$1.15 TO \$1.50</b>
Men's House Slippers, in wine, khaki and black — Special	<b>\$2.00</b>
Boys' Comfy Slippers,	<b>\$1.85 TO \$1.95</b>

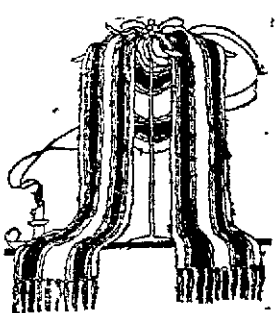
## SATURDAY-FOUR GREAT GROUPS OF WOMEN'S SUITS AT

<b>\$35.00 Suits</b> <b>\$17.50</b> NO APPROVALS	<b>\$45.00 Suits</b> <b>\$22.50</b> NO LAYAWAYS	<b>\$59.50 Suits</b> <b>\$29.75</b> ALTERATIONS CHARGED FOR	<b>\$75.00 Suits</b> <b>\$37.50</b>
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# HALF-PRICE

### Practical Gift Seekers

From Our Ready-To-Wear Dept.—Second Floor



## WOOL AND PLUSH

## SCARFS

All colors in plain and stripe designs, heavy fringe ends, values to \$8.75.

**\$1.98**

## WOMEN'S BEACON BATH ROBES

All sizes to 46, Satin trimmed, silk cord and tassels, a nice gift.

**\$8.75**

## CREPE KIMONOS

Figured and plain designs in all shades, ribbon trimmed.

**\$2.75 - \$3.75**

## FLANNEL MIDDIES

All wool, in navy-red, green and gold broad trimmed and emblem—

**\$6.75**

## CHILDREN'S RAIN CAPES AND COATS

Red, tan and blue, sizes 6 to 14, would delight the little lady.

**\$3.98**

## CHRISTMAS GIFTS ON MAIN FLOOR

## Kerchiefs

Swiss embroidered in white and colored, 3 in box, 29c, 39c, 50c, 59c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Irish embroidered and lace edge on lawn and linen, 10c to \$1.00. Men's pure linen handkerchiefs, — 50c, 75c.

Ladies' linen handkerchiefs, 18c, 6 for \$1.00.

Ladies' silk umbrellas, \$5.75 to \$14.50.

Hair Bow Ribbons, 39c.

Boudoir Caps, Silk and lace, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.98.

New Metal Belts, 89c, \$1.25, \$1.75.

Beaded Girdles, \$1.75.

Children's Hand Bags, 50c, \$1.00.

Leather Cigarette Cases, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00.

Manicure Sets, \$1.50, to \$10.50.

Ladies' Leather Hand Bags, \$1.00 to \$16.50.

Vanities Incense Burners, 50c up.



## GIVE BLANKETS

64x76 Fleece Blankets, grey, tan and white, \$1.98.

74x80 Fleece Blankets, grey and tan, \$2.98.

Australian Blanket, heavy, tan only, 72x80, \$3.75.

Large heavy Fleece Blankets, 76x80, \$3.48.

All Wool Blankets, taffeta bound, 72x80, colored plaids, \$8.75.

Heavy Fluff Blankets, eight colors in large block plaids, \$3.98.

Beacon Plaid Blankets, pink, blue and grey, \$5.98.

## SILKS-WOOLENS

54 inch stripe Prunella Skirtings, \$3.75.

Fine grade Canton Crepe, 10 colors, special \$2.69.

40 inch Crepe de Chine, special \$1.69.

40 inch Silk Chiffon Velvets, special \$5.48.

40 inch Cheney Foulards, special, \$2.39.

36 inch Satin De Luxe, special \$2.48.

## Gloves

Perrins imported kid gloves, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.25.

Gauntlet Gloves, imported, \$4.98.

Ladies Wool Gauntlet Gloves, \$1.98.

Wicker Bread or Work Baskets, 75c to \$1.25.

Minerva all wool Knitting Yarns, all colors, 1 7-8 ounce hanks, 48c.

Table Scarfs on Indian Head, 18 x 54 stamped, 45c.

Luncheon sets, stamped on unbleached muslin, 36 x 36 center piece and six napkins with enough floss to work, complete, 85c.

Plain and jeweled Barrettes, 15c to \$1.

Spanish Combs in jewel designs, \$1.00 to \$4.50.

Christmas Cards, 5c to 25c.

Popular Fiction, \$1.

## —Fairyland —Joyland TOYLAND!



Noise and Fun, toys by the score, all of Santa's old favorite toys and oodles of the new ones he has made.

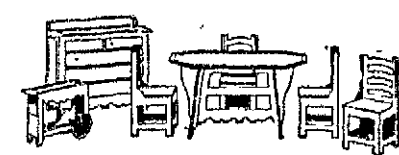
Come on down Kiddies and join in the fun and pick out the things you want Santa to leave at your house Christmas.

## WHEE-E-E — A MARVEL CAR

Made of hard wood, natural finish body with red wheels and horse's head, at \$1.98, with handle only

**\$1.79**

## FOLDING DOLL FURNITURE



Living room, bed room, kitchen, dining room. Your choice, per room .... **10c**

## REED DOLL CARRIAGES

Finished in cream, with black gear, strongly built, \$6.25.

## 12-PIECE TOY TEA SET

49c each.

## 12-INCH MUTT AND JEFF DRUM

With fibre head and long sticks, special value, 98c.

## ODDS AND ENDS OF TOYS

Horses, Speedo Cars, Kid-die Coasters, etc., values as high as \$5.00, your choice, \$1.00.



## CHEMCRRAFT SETS

\$2.50—\$5.00—\$10

## LITHO PLATE BOARD &amp; WRITING DESK

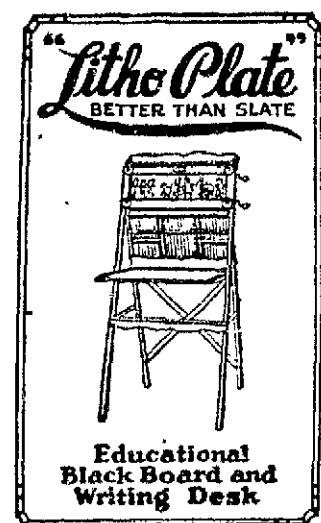
Fitted with scroll of 44 illustrations, eight in colors, litho plate is as sanitary as slate but is unbreakable. Board like picture, \$6.75. Others from 75c up.

## 30-INCH FOLDING DOLL BED

Fitted with mattress and pillows, large enough for a 27-inch doll, only \$1.85.

## NO. 33 BURROWS POOL TABLES

With full equipment, rule book, 16 balls, triangle, cues, etc., large enough to make exciting plays ..... **\$6.50**



JITNEY AUTOMOBILES  
With bumper, no dead center gear, rubber tires, painted bright red, yellow and yellow, special \$8.75



## MILLINERY

Velvets and Beavers, Sallors and Dress models, values to \$10.00—**\$2.95**

Black Dress shapes in Fanne Velvets values to \$15.00 .... **\$4.45**

## Phoenix Hosiery for Gifts

Pure Silk Hose, full fashioned, in brown and black, \$1.95.

Pure Silk Hose, fancy drop stitch clox, black only, \$2.85.

John and Silk Hose, white clox, black and brown, special \$1.00.

Silk Hose—\$1.10, \$1.45 to \$5.00.

Silk and Wool Hose, \$1.65, \$1.95, \$2.45.

Wool Hose—89c, \$1.00, \$1.45.

"Van Raalte" Thread Silk Hose, \$8.50.

"Van Raalte" Pure Silk Lace Hose—\$3.50, \$4.50.

## Ivory Pyralin

Pyralin is its trade name, being a manufactured product—but no genuine Ivory was ever whiter or livelier than that of which these exquisite articles are made—

Trays—\$1.50, \$3.50, \$5.00

Mirrors—\$5.75, \$7.45, \$8.75, \$10.00.

Hair Brushes—\$1.25, \$5.75, \$7.50.

Powder Boxes and Hair Receivers—\$1.45, \$1.95, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.00.

Combs—50c, 75c, 80c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Perfume Bottles—89c, \$1.00, \$1.20, \$2.00.

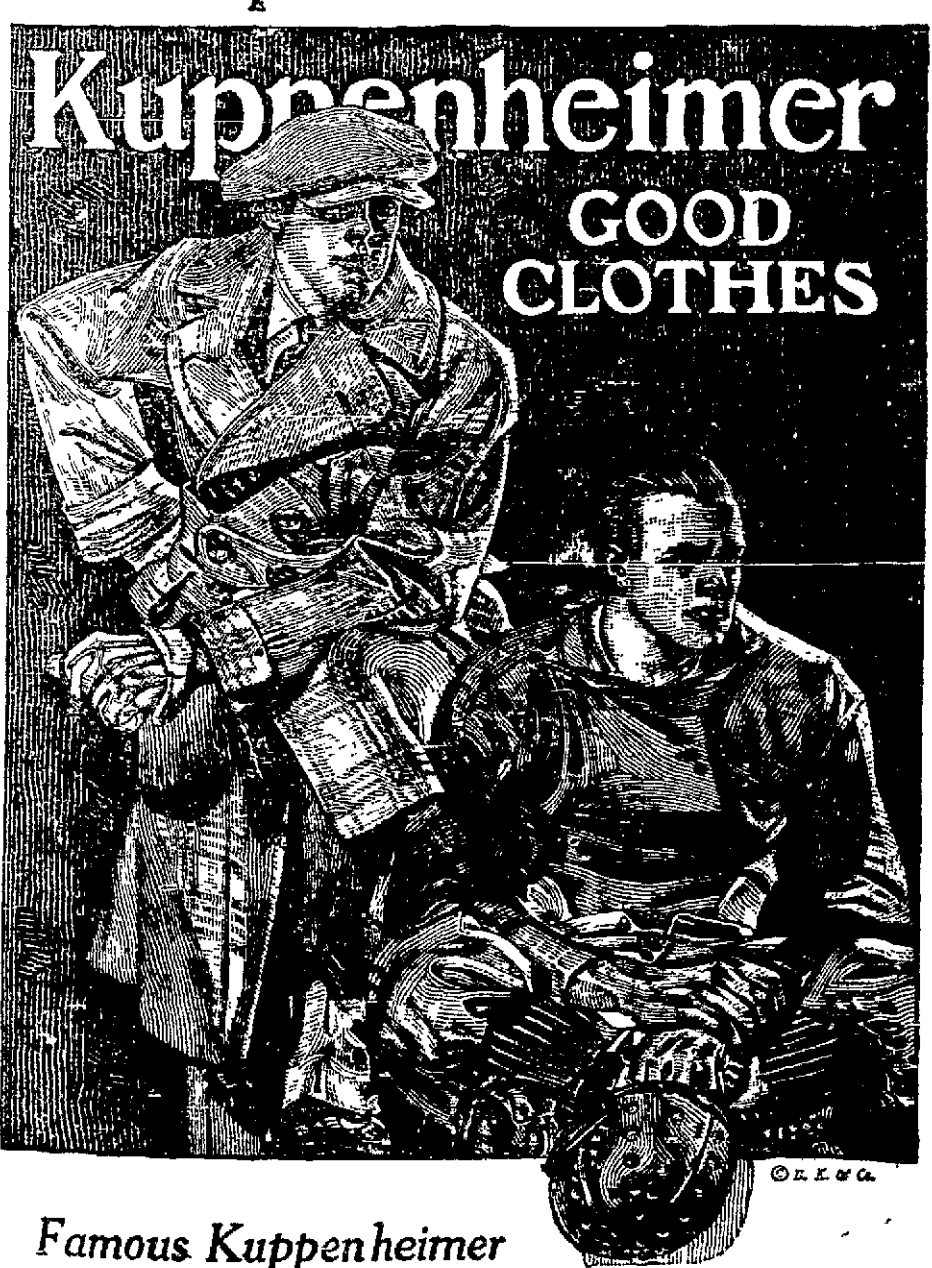
Nail Buffers—\$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50.

Picture Frames—\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00.

Jewel Cases—\$0.50.

Bud Vases—\$2.00.

## A Complete Man's Gift Store--Main Floor



Famous Kuppenheimer  
**SUITS and OVERCOATS \$42.85**  
\$48 AND \$50 VALUES

## MEN'S TRAVEL COAT SWEATERS

Fine combed knit yarn—with 4 flap pockets, special ..... **\$10**

## MEN'S KNIT MUFFLERS

Handsome Christmas presents ..... **\$2.00—\$3.00—\$4.00**

## MEN'S KID GLOVES

\$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4

## MEN'S BATH ROBES

Made of all wool Beacon Blankets, handsome patterns, \$6.95 & \$7.50

## MEN'S GIFT TIES

Handsome assortment in holiday boxes ..... **75c**

## MEN'S INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS

Also fancy borders with initials, special for Saturday, 3 for ..... **\$1.00**

## MEN'S SILK SHIRTS

Silk Jersey and crepe de chine, handsome patterns ..... **\$7.35**

## MEN'S SILK HOSE

The famous Phoenix brand satisfaction assured ..... **85c**

## BOYS' OVERCOATS

Little fellows' O'Coats—all wool materials, ages 3 to 9, \$8.50 values, \$5.95 at ..... **\$6.89**

## BOYS' MACKINAWs

Storm collars and maff pockets, \$7.50 values, \$5.95. **\$4.00**

## TRAVELING BAGS

Cowhide, all leather lined black and brown, special **\$10.00 \$15.00 \$18.00**

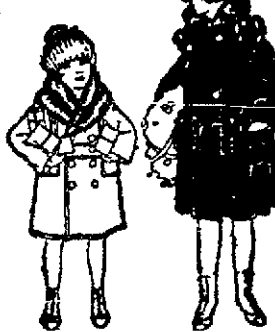
## HERE IS BARGAIN NEWS

## ANOTHER GREAT SALE OF

## RINGS 19c

Signet, band, and stone set. Solid gold, sterling silver and gold shell. For women, misses, babies. We want you to see this display—it's a factory stock. The price is simply ridiculous, but don't judge by the price. We had a similar stock last year—it made a wonderful sensation. Remember some of them are solid gold. Many of the stone settings are genuine. First comers get first choice.

## Children's Warm Coats and Hats



Velvet Corduroys, Broadcloth, Plush, Velours, Chinchillas, belted and plain styles, \$6.98 to \$19.75.

## Hats

Velvet, Felt, Chinchilla, mixtures, all shapes, \$1.00

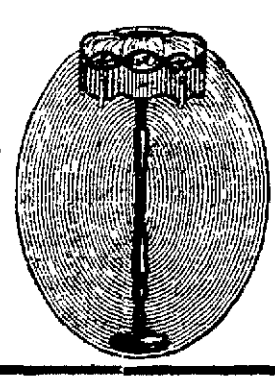
Velvets, Beavers streamers, all shapes, **\$2.98**

## Two Splendid Gift Specials from Our Furniture Section

## FLOOR LAMPS

## COMPLETE

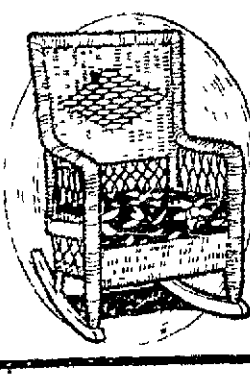
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Mahogany bases, all silk shades, fringe and tassels, figured and plain designs, a fine gift lamp. Complete, \$19.75.

## FIBER ROCKERS

**\$13.50**



Cretonne and tapestry covered, spring seats, ivory and frosted brown finishes. Special value at \$13.50.

Third Floor

## Pure Food Grocery--Specials

Dates	ENGLISH Walnuts	Pure Fruit Jelly	Sugar
Two pkgs... <b>33c</b>	Two pounds <b>75c</b>	Pint tumbler <b>21c</b>	Five pounds <b>25c</b> With \$1 order

## SELF-SERVE — Fresh, New Merchandise VERY SPECIAL PRICES

Child's Cotton Knit Union Suits, fleeced, sizes 2 to 16. Special 69c.  
Boys' fine Ribbed Union Suits, sizes 24 to 34. Special 75c.  
Women's medium weight Union Suits, high or low neck designs, well made cotton. Sizes 24 to 44. Special Saturday 80c.  
27 inch Cutting, figured designs, remnants 1 to 20 yard lengths. Special Saturday, 13c yard.  
Cotton Blankets—Size 64x76. Special Saturday, \$1.80.  
Children's Hose, black and cordovan. Sizes 5 to 10½. Special 12c and 15c pair.

## Self Serve Grocery--Specials

SOAP AT COST	TAG SOAP	Rub-No-More WASHING POWDER	GOLD DUST
3 Classic Soap 2 Wool Floating 1 Sunbrite Cleaner, all for... <b>29c</b>	Two bars... <b>15c</b> One Bar Free	Six Boxes. <b>25c</b>	Large Box... <b>27c</b>



## HELD IN WALL-ST BLAST PROBE

Omaha Man Taken as Suspect  
—Claims Alibi

OMAHA, Neb. — (By United Press) — The latest attempt to fix the blame for the Wall-st bomb outrage of September 16, 1929, "blurred" today, when Mike Stine, a Bulgarian hotel clerk, arrested last night following receipt of a mysterious note, established a alibi.

At the time of the explosion, Stine was doing a "strong man act" with a carnival company appearing at the Ak-Sar-Ben festivities in Omaha, he declared. Police believe his story, but are still holding him pending further investigation.

No trace of the mysterious sender of the note which caused Stine's arrest, has been found.

When arrested Stine was working

a night clerk at the Grand Hotel, a cheap lodger house in the foreign quarter.

Eight hours of third degree questioning have failed to change Stine's story that he has not been in New York since 1902, police said.

The unsigned note, which led to Stine's arrest, read:

"Go south of Harvard-st. Find a dark-skinned man with long black hair, wearing a green sweater with red stripe and red collar. He runs a rooming house. Ask him if he was ever in San Francisco and ask him if he drove the one-horse wagon of dynamite in Wall-st."

**DISEASE-PROOF POTATO**

LONDON.—A new potato, called Di Vernon, exhibited here, is said to be immune from disease and to yield heavily. A single potato, bought last year, its owner said produced 56 pounds of tubers last season.

**NOTICE**

After this date, Dec. 11, 1921, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Maud Buffenbarger.

S. W. HUFFENBARGER.

## OHIO ELECTRIC LOSES IN LIGHT RATE BATTLE

State public utilities commission has overruled the Ohio Electric company's appeal for a higher light rate scheduled in this city and ratified council's ordinance of August 2, 1929, which fixed the present rate to remain effective until August 2, 1932.

Under the ruling all electric light, power and fuel tariffs will stand as at present. The light schedule as fixed by council calls for a charge of from 8 1/2 to three cents per kilowatt hour for current used. A discount of five per cent is allowed on all bills paid at the company's office on or before the 10th of the month.

A rate of four cents per kilowatt hour, without discount being allowed, was fixed for the boulevard lighting system.

**NOBODY INTERESTED**

WEYBRIDGE, Ont.—Only one person attended the first of a series of lectures on horticulture here. That was the lecturer himself. The series was abandoned.

## AROUND : LIMA HOUR : BY : HOUR

WITH APOLOGIES

By OH: OH: JACKENRIM

Strolling around the Metropolis: Elizabeth and Market, Zeke Owens, keeper of the archives of the Allen-Go Historical Society, beseeching Mayor-elect Cunningham to give him the photo of the public square in 1860. Earl Rohn, the new City Commissioner, who admits being approached by Jobey Kaufman, the steel king. Kaufman wants the appointment as Custodian of Confiscated booze, with power to name his own chief deputy upon whom will

fall the work. Don Campbell, the journalist, who usually migrates to Arizona with the first snowfall; George Newson, one-time merchant prince here, now head of a chain of out-of-town stores. The new Zet-litz company, which has taken over a 99-year lease from that classic, honored and impeccable founder of the floral emporium, Eggert N. Zet-litz. Came here without a penny; has a suburban home fit for the king he is. May his days be long and merry.

He is a silly young Lima ass who still thinks a farmer is declassé and wears greatboots, asking Dar Kirwin, the retired millionaire agricul-

turist, when he expects to go back to chickens and the plough.

"Not going," lecturing now."

"And where, pray, my man?"

"Door of Hope, Thursday nights, 8:15," snarled Farmer Dan.

"By love," returned the ass, "I'll come down, doncher no." And he went.

Bringing Up Father may lose a good fellow a good job. All because the Kiwanis club had corned beef and cabbage at their luncheon Tuesday. The occasion was the visit, too, of Bishop Robert L. Harris, and The Argonne the scene. When engaged into a sequestered nook and be-rated over the menu, the steward's

excuse is said to have been: "I thought Jiggs was to be the guest of honor."

**MEN AND MATTERS**

Dr. Herbert A. Thomas, of 593 N. Jameson-av., will return Friday from Chicago where he has been attending the 24th annual meeting of North America. The meeting convened Wednesday and closed Friday.

**ALBERT DUNCAN DEAD**

CLEVELAND — Albert Duncan ("Starlight") Boyd 50, negro, for 20 years a Republican power in ward politics, died here.

**STERLING SILVERWARE IN DIFFERENT PATTERN**

20 TO 40 PER CENT REDUCTIONS. ROSE, THE JEWELER, 116 WEST HIGH STREET.

## Our Great December Sale of Silk Undergarments

has attracted widespread attention! Have you made your selections? We advise you to come in tomorrow and make your purchases while the assortment is at its best. You will find rare bargains in daintiest underwear of the best quality. Whether you wish to buy for your own use or for Christmas gifts you will be delighted with the values offered.

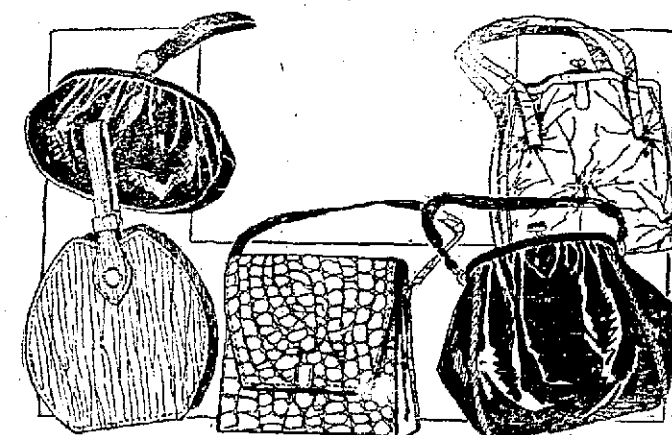
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## Four Special Groups of Smart Hand Bags

We quote no price comparison but you will recognize the worth of these bags when you see them:

Women's real leather bags of various popular shapes in brown, plain, striped or with tooled decoration. Also Persian leather bags in black and brown. Remarkable values.

**\$1.95**

Genuine pin seal bags; others of Persian leather in brown and grey; brown bags of shrunken seal. They are in various shapes and sizes to suit Milady's taste.

**\$2.95**

Cleverly styled hand bags in Persian leather plain and in the spiderweb effect in black, brown, grey. There are also black crepe and pin seal bags. All fitted with mirror and some with coin purses.

**\$3.95**

Bags in various chic styles. One of Persian leather in brown is fitted with a complete vanity set. Others of shrunken seal are fitted with coin purse, and mirror or have extra outside pockets.

**\$4.95**

## Gift Stationery--Special

Good quality writing paper attractively boxed. 24 sheets, 24 cards, and 48 envelopes in all white, all blue, all pink, or assorted colors to the box. Sells regularly at \$1.50—For Saturday, only, \$1.10.

**\$1.10**

## Special Sale of

## Women's Gloves

In 8 or 10 button lengths in many smart novelty styles that are very appropriate for immediate wear or as Xmas gifts.

Formerly Priced \$2.75 to \$3.50

**\$1.95**

## Double Silk

Splendid quality double silk gloves that are so practical for present wear. Two clasp style in brown, grey, navy, black or white, all sizes. Sells regularly at \$1.65.

**\$1.29**

## Washable Cape

Ladies' washable cape gloves in grey, black, and brown in two clasp style. All sizes in the lot but not all sizes of each color. Sell regularly at \$2.50.

**\$1.39**

## Women's Xmas Hosiery Lace Hose

Beautiful lace hose that make wonderful gifts. They are "Kayses" and "Van Ralle's" in many styles of lace work—black, cordon, African brown, navy, grey, and white. Extra values.

**\$3.75**



## All Silk Hosiery

Splendid quality silk hose with silk tops and silk feet to be had in black. They make lovely gifts. A \$3.00 quality specially priced.

**\$2.29**

Tax 3c

Merchandise Orders May be Written for Any Amount—They Make Appreciated Xmas Gifts

## Christmas Gifts for the Younger Set

THE Eternal Feminine loves clothes! Something to wear always has an appeal whether the lady be six or sixty. We suggest these as ideal gifts, combining, as they do, the beautiful with the useful.



## Furs—

—dear little scarfs and fat little muffs in sets ranging from \$2.75 to \$29.75 — mole, coney, fitch, nutria, and beaver. And fur coats in sizes 10 and 12 years \$50 & \$37.50

## Sweaters—

—here is just the thing—a warm woolen one that slips over her head or buttons down the front, or a lovely soft angora in henna, brown, beige or black; sizes 4 to 14

..... \$1.98 to \$10.75

## Scarfs and Tams—

—they match, you know, and are quite the smartest things yet! Soft wool sets and others in real angora in lovely color tones.

..... \$3.95 to \$5.00

## Coats—

Smart coats for little tots and for sister, 16 years old. A good selection of chic styles in all the preferred colors is here, girls 2 to 16 years. \$5.95 and up.

## Pleated Skirts—

All wool serge skirts in navy blue for girls 10 to 16 years. They have waist attached and are accordeon or box pleated, .... \$3.95

## Serge Dresses—

—They are as smart and as practical as can be had for Girls 7 to 16 years, regulation dresses for school and other chic models, prettily trimmed for dress.

..... \$4.95 to \$12.95

## Infants' Novelties—

A great many clever novelties that baby will love to play with are here as well as a splendid assortment of dolls. Priced up to ... \$7.98



## Art Needlework Class Discontinued Until Further Notice

Owing to the busy time at this season of the year for both our patrons and ourselves we have discontinued all Art Needlework classes until their resumption will be announced.

For Saturday

## Important Sale of Millinery

All Ladies' Velvet Hats Go  
Regardless of Cost

In 3 Groups

GROUP I Values up to \$10.00 ..... **\$1.95**

GROUP II Values up to \$15.00 ..... **\$5.00**

GROUP III Values up to \$25.00 ..... **\$7.50**

Street hats or dress hats in black and colors.

Millinery Shop—2nd Floor

No Exchanges

No Approvals

## KELTNER'S DRUG NEWS

Circulation—Thousands  
of Satisfied Patrons

Our Motto—The  
Public Be Pleased

Weather—Always  
Fair at Keltner's

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One Good Store Where You Find Everything in the Drug and Toilet Line — San Tox and Nyals Agency

SPECIAL SATURDAY  
CUT PRICES

TOILET ARTICLES  
(Tax Included)

25c Djer Kiss Talcum.....20c  
50c Djer Kiss Face Powder.....30c  
\$1.35 Djer Kiss Toilet Waters.....1.00  
50c Djer Kiss Rouge.....30c  
25c Mavis Talc.....10c  
50c Mavis Face Powder.....30c  
50c Pompeian Face Powder.....30c  
50c Pompeian Rouge.....30c  
50c Cocoa Butter Cream.....30c  
\$1.00 Mary Garden Face Powder.....70c  
60c Mary Garden Rouge.....50c  
50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste.....30c  
50c Poloca Tooth Paste.....30c  
60c Multisilid Coconut Oil Shampoo.....30c  
25c Johnson's Baby Powder.....10c  
\$1.20 Listerine.....80c  
60c Listerine.....45c  
30c Corn Huskers Lotion.....25c  
Try Almond Lotion, 3 oz. bottle.....25c  
For Chapped Hands and Face, leaves the skin like velvet.

## XMAS GIFTS

Buy Now!

—Perfumes  
—Ivory Goods  
—Toilettes  
—Candies  
and hundreds  
of other suitable presents.

SPECIAL SATURDAY  
CUT PRICES

PROPRIETARY MEDICINES  
(Tax Included)

\$1.50 Allen Rhu.....\$1.15  
Bayer's Aspirin.....14c, 28c, \$1.00  
American Aspirin, 1 doz., 10c; 3 doz., 25c; 100 bottle.....60c  
Genuine Castoria.....31c  
\$1.25 Dreo.....95c  
\$1.25 Evan's Triple Phosphates.....90c  
50c Drake's Croup Syrup.....30c  
\$1.25 Nujol.....\$1.00  
\$1.10 Tanlac.....80c  
\$1.10 Vinol.....80c  
\$1.15 Vitamon.....87c  
\$1.25 Pinkham's Veg. Comp. \$1.00  
Listerine.....23c, 40c, 80c  
30c Hill's Cascara Comp.....25c  
30c Grove's Laxative Quinine 25c  
75c Rheuma.....00c  
\$1.10 Nuxated Iron.....80c  
Nature's Remedy Tablets, 10c, 30c, 70c.  
60c Ulks' Emulsion.....40c  
\$1.25 Milk's Emulsion.....\$1.00



## GUARDS CAPTURED BY RUM GANG

Locked in Vault as Kentucky Bandits Take Whiskey

DRY AGENTS GET 10 STILL

Great War on Between Officials and Liquor Runners

LOUISVILLE.—(By Associated Press.)—Federal prohibition agents in Kentucky have just concluded one of the largest raids in the history of prohibition enforcement in the state.

Whiskey bandits likewise have just completed one of the most successful distillery raids ever made in Kentucky.

Such is the result to date this week in the war between federal agents and rum runners. Instead of a breathing spell today, following a busy week in three Kentucky counties, federal agents are off in search for the upward of a score of whiskey bandits who last night, in a spectacular raid, got

away with 194 cases of bottled in bond and ten barrels of whiskey from the T. B. Ripy distillery at Tyrone, Ky.

**STILLS SMASHED**

Early in the week, 30 prohibition enforcement agents with Robert Blackburn, chief agent at the head, invaded Nelson, Washington and Marion cos. When the agents came out late yesterday the raid had yielded seven prisoners, ten stills and 38 foundations were broken up, and 30,000 gallons of beer and 68 gallons of moonshine whiskey were destroyed. Warrants for a number of other alleged law violators have been issued as a result of the raid. Meantime, several raids in Louisville have netted small quantities of wet goods.

The bandits, in raiding the Ripy distillery, captured four guards and three passersby and after handcuffing them, put them in a vault in the distillery office while they loaded the whiskey into motor trucks and automobiles and drove off.

**CREAMED BUTTERMILK OR SWEET SKIMMED MILK**  
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We pay 8 per cent interest on money, interest paid semi-annually. You can draw your money at any time. The Wagner Loan Company, 180 South Main-st.

Buy a FORD for Her Xmas.

## 283 CASES HANDLED IN NOVEMBER BY NURSING DIVISION OF RED CROSS

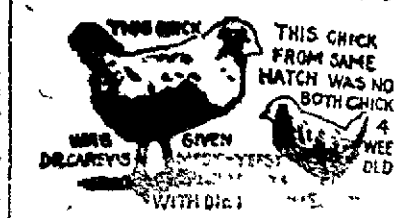
November report of the Nursing Division of the Allen-co chapter Red Cross shows 283 cases handled during the month. Of this number 175 cases were discharged and 108 remained at the first of December. Of the total number discharged 173 had fully recovered, two were improved and one remained unimproved. Nursing visits totaled 369, infant welfare visits 127, child welfare visits 192 and other calls 50. Over 700 visits were made during the month.

Of the cases handled physicians reported 22, members of families 33, life insurance company 18, board of health 72 and others 17. Twenty-one patients under two years of age were given treatment, 27 between two and six years old, 57 between the ages of six and 20 and 48 over the age of 20 years were cared for.

Communicable diseases headed the list with 75 cases and in order came well babies under supervision, 12; obstetrical, 12; pneumonia, 8; surgical dressing cases, 6; gastrointestinal diseases in infants, 6; chronic illness, 4; tuberculosis, 1; all others 36.

**GET YOUR CHRISTMAS VICTOR RECORDS AT ROWLANDS—LARGEST STOCK OF ALL VICTOR RECORDS.**

## Science Discovers Thousands Suffer From Lack of One Vital Element in Their Food--VITAMINES



Unless we have enough of this health maintaining vitamin in our daily food we can not be vigorous and robust—as science has proven by the experiments on the chickens as shown above. Modern diet lacks this vital element which is abundant in uncooked foods and green, leafy vegetables, but usually destroyed in cooking with the result that we do not get enough vitamins to give us the strength and energy we should have.

**DR. CAREY'S MEDIC-YEEST TABLETS** supplied this missing element to the diet of the chicken and with the desired result shown in the illustration above.

**DR. CAREY'S MEDIC-YEEST TABLETS** contain the three important vitamins (Fat soluble A and Water soluble B and C) and taken into the system give you strength and energy. They build up the body with firm flesh, and tissue, strengthen the nerves and rejuvenate the whole system. DR.

**CAREY'S MEDIC-YEEST TABLETS** supply just what your body needs. If you are run down, nervous, anemic, thin and ragged looking or lack vitality and energy you will find it to your benefit to make the following test. First weigh and measure yourself. Then take two of DR. CAREY'S MEDIC-YEEST TABLETS after each meal. Then weigh and measure yourself again each week and continue taking DR. CAREY'S MEDIC-YEEST TABLETS after each meal regularly until you are thoroughly satisfied with your gain in weight, strength and energy.

**DR. CAREY'S MEDIC-YEEST TABLETS** are economical and easy to take. By getting the essential yeast vitamins in these concentrated tablets you run no risk of upsetting the stomach and satisfactory results are positively guaranteed or the small amount you pay for the trial will be cheerfully refunded.

Write the name down and accept only the genuine. For many reasons no other tablet can take its place. Ask for DR. CAREY'S MEDIC-YEEST TABLETS at Huggins & Drug Stores, Thompson's & Drug Stores, Mykranis Co. Cor Main and North-sts—Ldv

**AMBITIOUS LIMA PEOPLE** never let an evening pass without a careful reading of The News. They know they can't afford to.

## "Thank You"

### Announcement

The P&Q Shop shows its appreciation for the genuine support in the past years, to all its loyal customers and their friends by a practical and substantial offering.

See Page 12



Commencing Tomorrow, Saturday---In the Blouse Shop---Second Floor

# Our Fourth SEMI-ANNUAL SALE of 1000 Blouses and Overblouses

Positively the Most Sensational Values We Have Ever Featured! Each Is a Regular Feldman Model—Offered in Most Cases at Far Below the Original Cost—

### Regular \$3.98 to \$5.00 Blouses

Tailored dimitive blouses with Peter Pan collars are made with tiny tucking. On sale Saturday .....	\$2.50
Dainty handsome voile and batiste including some Philippine made models. Formerly priced to \$4.98. On sale Saturday .....	\$2.50
Smart Georgettes in light and dark colors. Some are prettily beaded and embroidered. On sale Saturday .....	\$2.50

### Regular \$5.00 to \$7.50 Blouses

Smart satins and crepe de chins in attractive styles, light and dark shades. Formerly up to \$7.50. On sale Saturday .....	\$3.50
Georgettes of good quality in regulation overblouse style offer new ideas in silk embroidery. On sale Saturday .....	\$3.50
Other models in Georgette have new ideas in coloring, in cut and in trimming. On sale Saturday .....	\$3.50

### Regular \$7.50 to \$10.00 Blouses

Blouses that you would never expect to find at such a price. Many in handsome crepe de chine models. Formerly priced \$7.50 to \$10.00. On sale Saturday at .....	\$4.50
Overblouses of heavy Georgette that bead themselves in unusual ways, two-tone models. Formerly priced \$7.50 to \$10. On sale Saturday at .....	\$4.50
Dark toned Georgettes, hand embroidered in original ways, have the newest in neck lines and sleeves. Formerly priced \$7.50 to \$10.00. On sale Saturday at .....	\$4.50

On Sale Blouse Shop—Second Floor

### Large Women

Although these Blouses are not shown in extra sizes, many styles are in sizes up to 46, which will permit many women who require large sizes to make a satisfactory selection and take advantage of the exceptional values offered in this great semi-annual sale.

## What This Sale Means to You

First of all—these Blouses are all from the regular Feldman stock. There is every new style, there is every modish color, there is every clever trimming idea that the season has brought forth.

Take that French imported blouse, for instance, the colors are blended as skillfully and as artistically as a winter sunset. And there were any number of ravishing Georgettes—just one, two or three of a kind, marked way below cost, for the fortunate some bodies who come bright and early Saturday morning.

Come tomorrow expecting to find the most wonderful values you have ever seen at Feldman's, for you will not be disappointed. Come prepared to buy more than one. You will want them as soon as you see them and at these low prices it will be economy to secure a season's supply.

**This Sale Offers Many Suggestions for Xmas Gifts**

### Regular \$10.00 to \$15.00 Blouses

A group of Georgette Blouses are rarely lovely with real fillet laces and delicate hand embroidery. Formerly up to \$15. On Sale Saturday at .....	\$7.50
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Other models of splendid quality Georgette have the unusual trimming of tucked bands of georgette and artistic beading. On sale Saturday .....	\$7.50
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Filled, embroidered or lace trimmed Georgette Overblouses, may be had in exquisite new styles and colors. On sale Saturday .....	\$7.50
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### Regular \$15.00 to \$22.50 Blouses

Costume blouses in allover beaded models have elaborate motifs worked out in crystal and colored beading, formerly up to \$22.50. On sale Saturday .....	\$10.00
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Two color blouses of heaviest georgette make a whole costume when worn with a separate skirt. On sale Saturday .....	\$10.00
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Charming afternoon types in overblouse style are wonderfully embroidered and beaded. On sale Saturday .....	\$10.00
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### Regular \$20 to \$30 Blouses

Imported French Blouses of georgettes and crepe de chine with exquisite crepe de chine all over beading. Formerly up to \$30. On sale Saturday .....	\$14.95
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Costume Blouses—exquisite affairs in heavy georgette—beautiful lace and hand work. On sale Saturday .....	\$14.95
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Other wonderful Georgettes in pastel shades, are allover beaded. They are imported French models that are lovely beyond words. On sale Saturday .....	\$14.95
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On Sale—Blouse Shop—Second Floor

### Important

These Blouses have been so arranged that there will be no difficulty in making your selection. Our largely augmented staff of Blouse saleswomen will insure prompt and efficient service. However, you are strongly advised to shop early.

# FELDMAN'S

221 N. MAIN ST.

ESTABLISHED 1887



## SCHOOLS OF LIMA ARE CROWDED

Report Compiled During "Better School Week"

GAIN 1,611 IN SIX YEARS

Comprehensive Statement of Educational Facts

Enrollment in the public schools of Lima during the past six years has far surpassed building facilities, according to a report issued Friday by Superintendent of Schools J. B. Collins.

The increase, which applies to all departments of the public schools is 1,611, or 27 per cent. This increase is equivalent to the necessary number of pupils to occupy space provided in three of the largest schools.

These facts were compiled by Collins after a visit had been made by the principals of all Lima schools to the elementary, social and crippled children's schools, as a feature of the Educational Week of "Better School Week" movement.

**BUILDINGS CROWDED.** According to Collins, the rapid increase in school enrollment is crowding building facilities. During the past six years the senior high school has grown 64 per cent.

With the schools of the city crowded beyond legal capacity in 1916, that year marked the beginning of a building program to relieve existing conditions and provide for the normal growth in school attendance. Since that date the increase has been 1,611, or from 5,964 to a total for the present year of 7,575. This increase alone is almost equal to the enrollment in any three of our largest elementary buildings, the report states.

At the time of completion of the new buildings three years ago, including South High School, the system was changed from the 8-4 to the 6-8 plan of six years in the grade buildings, and six in the high schools. This plan of reducing the years in the grades to six relieved the congestion in the grade schools for the time, while the completion of South High gave opportunity to bring the seventh and eighth grades into the two high schools. At that time Central and South were organized on the six-year plan to include both the Junior and Senior high schools.

At the same time this has been a period of marked growth in the population of the city, Collins points out. In comparison the growth in school enrollment of 1,611 is even more marked with the result that the attendance is again up to the legal capacity of the building facilities.

**HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT.** The first six grades, reflecting more largely the growth in population, show a gain of 775, or 18 per cent. The gain for the seventh and

eighth grades now known as the Junior high school has been 295, or 31 per cent, while the Senior high school covering the last four years of the course has gained 543, or 64 per cent. It is evident that the popularity of the Junior high school, together with the proximity of South High to the students in that part of the city and the extension of the elective system to meet the needs of vocational and commercial students at both schools have increased the holding power through the high school years. As a result both high schools at the present time are housing pupils beyond their normal capacity. The total enrollment at Central is 1,597; at South High 1,027.

The report prepared by Collins further reads:

"During this same period the night school has been organized as a permanent part of the school system under state and federal aid, such funds for both the day and evening vocational classes bring annually approximately \$10,000. At the present time the enrollment in the night schools at Central and South and in local industries is about 800. Classes are organized in vocational subjects and Americanization. There is no age limit except that the student must be over 16 and many have been enrolled over 60 years of age. At present 64 women are studying millinery, with three instructors in charge, while 91 are taking courses in dressmaking. Classes are organized in cooking as well as the various commercial subjects. Among the vocational classes for men the largest is automobile construction and repair with 68 under four instructors. The class in electricity is almost as large, while 68 under 18 years of age are taking the night courses in Junior high school subjects.

**SPECIAL SCHOOLS.** "Five years ago the first special school for overage or retarded pupils was organized. At the present time there are eight. Four of these are for the younger children in the lower grades, and are located at the Garfield, Horace Mann, Whittier and Lincoln schools. Two for overage 5-6 grade girls, with emphasis on the home-making courses, are in the Garfield and Whittier buildings, while two schools for overage 5-6 grade boys in vocational or manual courses are located in the Central and Whittier buildings.

"In addition to these eight special schools organized in the past five years, a special school for crippled children was organized last September. At present the Board of Education receives up to \$300 per child or a total of \$4,500 for the year from the state for transportation, instruction and mid-day luncheon of these 15 crippled children. Through the work of the Lima Rotary Club many of these received surgical and other treatment with braces and crutches making them physically fit to attend school, with similar service to many other crippled children who have attended the regular grade schools.

"In addition the schools have had the cooperation of many social and child welfare associations and individuals in bettering the conditions of school children.

"The recent generous approval by the voters themselves on November 8th in voting three mills for a period of five years must be accepted as the one outstanding event of the year in

school support. With this confidence and pledge of loyal support by the people of the city—the parents of the boys and girls—every teacher must feel it as her duty and pleasure to be of the largest possible service to the schools now and in the years to come; and the Board of Education will find it possible to continue to maintain the schools in the interest of every boy and girl enrolled, whether in the elementary or high school; or the special classes.

"Likewise in presenting the merits of the millage levy, as well as in all other matters of educational welfare the schools have appreciated the helpful attitude on the part of the local press, in presenting the issues in the interest of a progressive, efficient administration of school affairs.

**PARENTS COOPERATE.**

"It is naturally pleasing to those in the schools to enjoy the support and cooperation of parents and the community generally to such a marked degree. On the other hand it must be equally gratifying to parents and those who support the schools to know that the Lima system is maintained on a conservative basis of cost as compared with other cities. The salaries of our 222 teachers are but \$119,000 and Lakewood next above us has a school indebtedness of \$3,629,000.

"In matters of school attendance less than three per cent of the homes show a disregard for regular and prompt attendance. Under prevailing industrial and economic conditions the schools have noted with appreciation the special effort being made this year to keep children in regular attendance. In meeting the conditions which all hope to be but temporary school officials have extended such aid as might alleviate conditions. In other words, the schools may be available to all children within school age.

"In the spirit that prompted 'Better School Week' as a national observance, it is to be hoped that thru continued cooperation and mutual understanding the schools and the homes of Lima, with other cooperative agencies, may come to a fuller realization year by year of the largest possible service to every youth enrolled in our city schools."

## INSURANCE UNION ELECTS OFFICERS

Harry Laidner is the new president of Buckeye Chapter No. 716, A. I. U. Other officers are Mrs. Gerding, vice-president; Belle Glaze, secretary; Norma Fancher, cashier; B. A. Mann, treasurer; A. D. Miller, past president; Grover Fancher, editor; Melvin Mann, marshal; Mrs. McClain, custodian; Rolla Mann, warden; Ethel Shobe, chaplain; Mr. Basinger, argus; Mrs. Lerch, trustee; Mrs. Bernice Gust, musician; and Mrs. Longworth, team captain.

**FAMILY SLEEPS ON BURTON-ON-TRENT, Eng.**—A burglar entered a home here while the family was asleep. Two police men followed and caught the intruder. But the family did not know of the incident until the next morning.

## SELF RELIANCE GOES BANKRUPT

Thin Blood Saps Energy  
Gude's Pepto-Mangan  
Rebuilds the Blood

Wrestling with a weakened condition of the blood is a desperate struggle. Thin, watery blood deprives the body of energy and causes a played-out, feeling not unlike utter exhaustion. A man with weak blood has not the full use of his powers. He lacks decision, and vacillates until he loses self-confidence.

Some men and women too, go faltering along for months, scarcely realizing that they need Gude's Pepto-Mangan, the blood builder. But when they have taken it for a while, what a difference there is in the feelings! The old-time vigor and the red-blooded hue of good health return. The new rich blood gets to work, building, fortifying, lifting the spirit up to its normal standard. Physicians have prescribed Gude's Pepto-Mangan for years as a blood-builder. Druggists sell it in liquid and tablet form. Look for the name "Gude's Pepto-Mangan" on the package. Adv.

## FREE! FREE!

A Free Ticket for Lyric Theatre will be given away to customers on Opening Day—Opening Tonight and Saturday.

## THE OWL LUNCH

Home of Mexican Chili

107 E. High St. Opposite Holland Block

Gordon's  
Lingerie

# Silk Lingerie

## Makes a Dainty and Personal Gift

An almost boundless collection of charming gift suggestions is presented in our Undergarment Section.

Bloomers Chemise  
Vests Camisoles Gowns

Our selection at this Christmas time of dainty silk undergarments was never so complete or so attractively charming. There is a profusion of garments any one or more of which will delight a lady.

The prices are so equally attractive that you will not be able to resist buying a quantity for yourself and it would indeed be a wise and economical thing to do at these extremely low prices. The prices of such compelling interest that you will realize the importance of buying now for the future.

The fabrics of excellent quality and each garment is beautifully made. Some are plain tailored while others are fancifully trimmed. You can solve many gift problems in this section.

## A Saturday Special

WOOL HOSE 50<sup>c</sup>

(Damaged)  
Here is a special that will have strong appeal to the economically inclined. True they are slightly damaged but these imperfections will not decrease the wearing qualities. There are only 4 dozen pairs in the lot and they will not last long at the price.

## There Are Notable Money-Saving Offerings in Our Garment Section

An Unusual Choice of

Fur Coats

Specially Priced at

\$95

Featuring fur coats at this price is like selling them for the proverbial song. The price is ridiculously low for the quality of the coats, as you will agree.

Cloth Coats  
Stunning Styles

\$28

This is a group of coats of much more than usual appeal. They upset those preconceived ideas of what prices on coats such as these would ordinarily be. We have marked them at the lowest possible price in order to see them sold quickly.

Coats

At \$10.35 we have grouped a number of higher priced stylish winter coats. A price such as this does not occur often even in end of the season sales. The coats included all smart models in a wide range of styles and fabrics.

\$10<sup>95</sup>

Slip-Over  
Sweaters

(Seconds) \$1<sup>49</sup>

If you will overlook a slight imperfection in this lot of slip-on sweaters you will find a tremendous value in this special for Saturday.

Velvet Hats

\$2

our choice of a selection of smart, stylish velvet hats that have been priced many dollars more, for Saturday at .....

Dresses

Among these silk, serge and tricot dresses you will surely find a becoming style—they are all so good looking and varied in style. And such large reductions have been made, you will not hesitate to purchase at ....

\$10.95

# Another Combination Sale

Two-Pant Suit and Mackinaw



Both for \$15<sup>50</sup>

These Suits are made of all-wool fabrics in latest of models; yoke back, belt all around, and both pair of pants are full lined. Such a kind of a Suit would cost \$12 to \$13.50. Mackinaws of latest heavy plaid Mackinaw material. Every Mackinaw has four pockets, two muff pockets and two flap pockets. These Coats were made to sell at \$8.00.

Sizes 8 to 18 Years.

Michael's  
HOUSE OF BETTER CLOTHES





## 75,000 JEWELS



Mrs. Smith-Wilkinson, who plans to dazzle America with her costly wardrobe, caused a sensation at the Victory Ball in London. She literally "blazed" her way into the Prince of Wales' box wearing 75,000 diamonds and pearls insured for \$5,000,000.

## WARREN YOUNG MAN IS TRAPPED BY PRETTY FACE

WARREN—The magnetism of a pretty face accomplished what the watchfulness of the police could not do, when a 16-year-old Warren youth was captured charged with molesting women here during the last six months.

Police evolved the plan of a pretty woman helping capture the culprit. For ten days, a special operative walked the streets after dark. One night a man jumped from behind a tree and grabbed her. She wielded a "blackjack" dexterously. The victim was dragged to jail. He has been identified by women. He had molested.

The "pretty face" was owned by Floyd Parlee, a man, who appeared here as a woman impersonator.

## LIMA HOTEL COMPANY IS INCORPORATED; \$60,000

Incorporation of the Lima Hotel company, now operating the Lima House, has been made at Columbus. Incorporators are Sig Lester and his wife, Mrs. Mildred Lester; H. E. Friedman and Mrs. Weera Friedman; H. O. Bentley, attorney and one of the incorporators said. "There is no change in the present company or operation of the house; things will go on as before," Bentley said.

The incorporation papers were filed at Columbus, Friday.

## Lack of Vitamines In Our Daily Food

Causes Thin, Weak, Run-down Conditions

Dr. Harrow of Columbia University says "Vitamines in Food Necessary to Sustain Life."

## Science Finds a Perfect Vitamine Food

For the first time on record, a perfectly balanced Vitamine Tonic Food is offered the people of Lima with its efficacy scientifically proven in one of our oldest and best known Medical Colleges in this country.

SUSTO is the name of this preparation. It is a combination in convenient tablet form of the nutritive and growth-promoting properties of Milk, Yeast, Rice, Eggs and Beef, together with Beef Protein, Nuclein and Iron.

Its composition being based on medical experience and the latest discoveries in nutrition, there was reason to believe it would meet the widespread need for a dependable reconstructive in cases of malnutrition, under-development of children, certain forms of anaemia, general debility, blood impoverishment and loss of weight and as an upbuilder for convalescents. Yet, appreciating the responsibility connected with offering it for general use, the makers of SUSTO decided to secure indisputable proof of its actual value.

So, the preparation was submitted to Dr. Philip B. Hawk, Professor of Physiological Chemistry of Medical College, Philadelphia, with instructions to definitely ascertain its worth in the most conclusive way known to science.

Under his personal supervision the formula was perfected and subjected to a series of therapeutic and feeding tests on normal and sick human beings, with unusual success in every instance.

By its use under-weight persons gained flesh rapidly, the weak were made strong—and health and energy, replaced weakened, run-down conditions. Thus in the final report of this investigation it was stated that SUSTO is a tonic food of the greatest value for malnutrition and its allied diseases.

Thompson's 3 Drug Stores are enthusiastic in regard to SUSTO, the retail agency for which he has secured for this territory. Ask about SUSTO at Thompson's 3 Drug Stores. If you try the treatment for one month at a cost of 10c a day and you are not in better health every way—weigh more and feel stronger they will return your money. —Adv.

## Eilerman Clothing Co.

"The Christmas Store Beautiful"

Eilerman Clothing Co.

Let Your Gifts Portray Your  
Good Judgment

Be A  
Sensible  
Santa

Buy the Things Men Would  
Buy Themselves

Every department of this store is brim-full of Christmas suggestions. Merchandise of the highest standard and the finest offerings prepared to greet the eye and to gladden the heart of every Christmas shopper who sees them.

Saturday--Men's and Boys'  
SWEATERS  
At 25 Percent Discount

Every Sweater in the house is included in this special price reduction—Slip-over—Sweater Coats—Jersey Sweaters—"Travelers" Cardigan Jackets—Sweaters for Boys—Children—Young Men and Men.

\$2.50 Boys' Jersey Sweaters	\$1.87
\$5.75 Boys' All Wool Slip-Over Sweaters	\$4.31
\$5.00 Children's Sweaters	\$3.75
\$6.50 Children's Sweaters	\$4.87
\$8.50 Boys' Slip-over and Coat Sweaters	\$6.37
\$6.50 Men's Slip-over Sweaters	\$4.87
\$10.50 Men's Slip-Over Sweaters	\$7.87
\$12.00 Men's Sweater Coats	\$9.00

## SCARFS

At 15 Per Cent Discount

A beautiful Muffler is always appreciated at Xmas time—Just think of it—there isn't a day all Winter that a Man doesn't wear one. And here's the finest selection to choose from.

\$1.27 to \$6.37

## HANDKERCHIEFS

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Cotton Handkerchiefs—in White—colored borders and colored centers—Plain or initial.

8c to 85c

## FLANNEL SHIRTS

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Include one or two of these among your list of gifts for Father, brother or friend—nothing more pleasing—We've all colors—besides small pin checks and plain white.

\$1.10 to \$8.50

## SILK SHIRTS

At 15 Per Cent Discount

You'll find here only those kind of Silk Shirts that show careful choice—shirts that distinguish the fastidious dresser—Jersey Silks—Crepe de Chine—Trutone—Fibres—Broadcloths.

\$4.80 to \$8.29

## HOSIERY

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Here are all the best quality Woollens, Camel's hair, Silk, Cotton and Lisle Hosiery for men—all the standard makes—in Black and plain colors—heather shades and two-tone effects—Plain and embroidered socks.

21c to \$1.91

## GLOVES

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Fine Cape Gloves—Suedes—Mochas—Chamois—Silk—Buckskin—Kiddskin—in Browns—Greys—Blacks—Tans—Rauver—Natural and White—Spear and embroidered backs—plain or lined with silk—wool-knit and fleece.

\$1.27 to \$4.25

## BATH ROBES

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Hang up one of these Lounging Robes where he'll see it the minute he enters the room—and watch his eyes light up with appreciation. Blanket Robes and Silk House Coats—slippers to match.

\$6.80 to \$27.62

## BELTS AND BUCKLES

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Nowhere in the city will you find a finer collection of new Belts and initial belt buckles than right here—and where is the man or boy who wouldn't appreciate one of them among his gifts.

42c to \$2.97

## PAJAMAS

At 15 Per Cent Discount

Glover's "Brighton-Carlbad" Night Shirts, Pajamas and Pajunions—in White or fancy Flannel-ette, Daisy Cloth, Pongee Mercerized and silk fabrics—a wonderful collection.

\$1.27 to \$5.10

## SATURDAY!

WILL BE A GOOD TIME  
TO CHOOSE THAT NEW

## SUIT and OVERCOAT

Stocks were never better than they are right now and prices are lower than you would expect them to be. You'll appreciate these values as soon as you know them. Our manufacturing department has joined us in an effort to get as much excellence as possible into these clothes. In design, in hand-needlework, in coloring, pattern or weave, nothing has been omitted that will give you extreme value for your money.

Eilerman Prices are Always the Lowest—But Still Better,  
You Can Deduct

15% and 20%

FROM OUR LOW  
REGULAR PRICES

If you appreciate the real meaning of true value,  
you'll appreciate what we are doing in our Men's Wear section.

## 15 Percent Discount

## Prices

\$22.50 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$19.12
\$25.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$21.25
\$27.50 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$23.37
\$29.75 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$25.29
\$35.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$29.75
\$39.75 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$33.79
\$45.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS	\$38.25

## 20 Percent Discount

## Prices

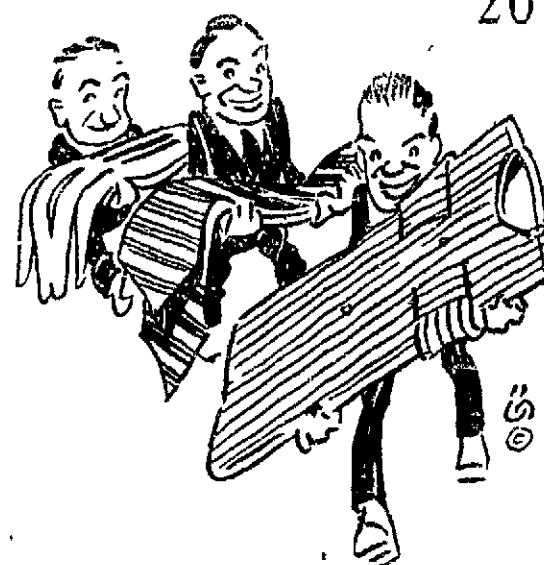
\$22.50 SUITS—NOW	\$18.00
\$25.00 SUITS—NOW	\$20.00
\$27.50 SUITS—NOW	\$22.00
\$29.75 SUITS—NOW	\$23.80
\$35.00 SUITS—NOW	\$28.00
\$39.75 SUITS—NOW	\$31.80
\$45.00 SUITS—NOW	\$36.00

Good News for Holiday Shoppers  
20 Per Cent Discount

on all  
SHIRTS

New patterns in fine quality Percal—Madras—French, English and Russian Corded materials—Fibro Silks—Silk Broadcloths—Trutone silks—Crepe de Chine—Silk Jerseys, etc.—Never so many shirts to choose from—

\$1.00 SHIRTS—Now	\$ .80
\$1.50 SHIRTS—Now	\$1.20
\$2.00 SHIRTS—Now	\$1.60
\$3.00 SHIRTS—Now	\$2.40
\$3.50 SHIRTS—Now	\$2.80
\$4.00 SHIRTS—Now	\$3.20
\$5.00 SHIRTS—Now	\$4.00
\$7.50 SHIRTS—Now	\$6.37
\$8.50 SHIRTS—Now	\$7.22
\$9.75 SHIRTS—Now	\$8.29

15 Per Cent Discount  
ON ALL BOYS'  
Suits, Mackinaws  
and Overcoats

Now is the time to outfit the boy with warm suitable apparel for the long Winter days ahead. No where will you find a more comprehensive display of well made Suits, Overcoats and Mackinaws than right here in our specialty department for boys.

\$ 6.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$ 5.52
\$ 8.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$ 7.22
\$10.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$ 8.50
\$12.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$10.20
\$15.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$12.75
\$16.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$14.02
\$ 7.50 Boys' Mackinaws	\$ 6.37
\$ 8.50 Boys' Mackinaws	\$ 7.22

UNDERWEAR  
At 15 Percent Discount

\$1.00 Men's Cotton Ribbed Union Suits	\$ .85
\$1.25 Men's Cotton Ribbed Union Suits	\$1.06
\$1.35 Men's Fleece Lined Union Suits	\$1.15
\$1.75 Men's Cotton Ribbed Union Suits	\$1.49
\$1.75 Men's "High Rock" Fleece Union Suits	\$1.49
\$1.75 Men's Part Wool Union Suits	\$1.49
\$3.00 Men's Woolen Union Suits	\$2.25
\$2.25 "Lambdown" Fleece Union Suits	\$1.91
\$4.00 Men's Woolen Union Suits	\$3.40
\$6.50 Men's Woolen Union Suits	\$5.52
\$8.50 Men's All-Wool Union Suits	\$7.22



**Eilerman**  
CLOTHING CO.

115-117 W. Market St. Lima, O.



## WHEAT OUTLOOK IN U. S. FAVORABLE

Drought Prevails, However, in Lower Plains Region

NOT GOOD IN WEST EUROPE

Conditions in Argentina Continue to Improve

WASHINGTON — (By Associated Press) — The seeding of winter grains is now practically completed throughout the Northern Hemisphere, according to reports received by the Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates, United States Department of Agriculture.

"The seeding of all winter cereals has been hindered by drought throughout western and Great Britain, and irregular stands and growth reported," the Bureau states. "The moisture supply has been plentiful throughout central Europe, and the present outlook for all winter grains is good. The drought in North Africa still prevails, according to latest reports, and rain is greatly needed to facilitate seeding and germination. The seeding of winter wheat is progressing under favorable conditions in British India, and the crop is germinating well. A good acreage is expected."

**CONDITION IN U. S.**

"Weather and soil conditions have generally been favorable for the seeding and germination of wheat in Canada, and the crop should enter the winter in good condition. The condition of all wheat is favorable in the United States, except in the lower plains region, where the crop has been injured by drought and some late seedings have failed to germinate. Conditions in the far western states have been improved by recent rains."

The condition of wheat in Argentina continues to improve, due to the abundant rains since September 15, which have broken the long drought. As conditions were very unfavorable during the normal seeding period, much of the grain has been sown unusually late, and the prospects of grain sown as late as this are generally poor. If present favorable conditions continue, however, a normal crop or better may be expected. The acreage as given by the Argentine Government for the year 1921-22, is 13,927,000 acres compared with 14,557,000 in 1920-21.

**AUSTRALIA OUTLOOK**

"Plentiful rains continue to be reported from the various grain-growing districts of Australia, and the crop outlook is quite favorable and equal to that of last year. A preliminary estimate places the Australian wheat crop for 1921-22 at 146,606,000 bushels, compared with 145,823,000 bushels in 1920-21. Good rains have been reported in South Africa, especially from those sections of the Cape where the bulk of the wheat is grown."

"Final thrashing of the cereal crops of the Northern Hemisphere confirm previous reports of the yield, and the outstanding feature is the decided increase of wheat and rye in nearly every European country compared with the yield of 1920. Excluding Russia and the Serb-Croat-Slovene States and a few minor producing countries for which estimates have not been received by the department, the production of wheat in Europe shows an increase of 27 per cent over last year and that of rye an increase of 39 per cent."

"The rice area of India for 1921-22 as reported by that Government's first regular forecast shows an area of 74,132,000 acres, or 2 per cent increase over last year. The forecast usually covers all but a relatively small part of the total rice area. The final report will probably cover an acreage somewhat larger than that quoted above. The condition of the crop is good. The Indian Government has made, as yet, no official forecast of production, but unofficial estimates by rice dealers place the probable crop at 71,654,000,000 pounds, or a 10 per cent increase over last year."

## WELTY IN FIGHT FOR CANALS

Former Congressman Attends Washington Hearing

Former Congressman U. F. Welty of this city attended a hearing this week conducted in Washington before the board of engineers for rivers and harbors of the War Department, on the proposed construction of a Lake Erie to Ohio river canal, locating the Pittsburgh and Youngstown route.

While it has been announced that a strong case was made for the route under discussion, it is expected by Welty that superior advantages of the Miami and Erie route, which passes thru the western part of Allegheny, will be shown in another meeting of the board to be held in Cincinnati, late in December, or in January, at which time the advocates of three western routes will be heard.

There was under a resolution presented by Welty while in Congress that the survey was made by the board of engineers, upon which the recent report of the board and the Washington hearings were based.

"I do not anticipate an immediate report from the board of engineers

favoring an appropriation from Congress," Welty stated, following the hearing. "It appears more likely to me that the board will ask a further appropriation and more time in which to complete a more thorough survey which will embrace the eastern, or Pittsburgh-Astoria, and the Miami route. Ultimately, I expect to see both routes used for canal purposes."

## COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Breaks any Cold in Few Hours

Instant Relief! Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and sniffing! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every three hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up any cold.

The very first does opens clogged nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dizziness, feverishness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" acts quick, sure, and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—insist upon Pape's—Adv.

Buy a FORD for Her Xmas.

**CREOPINE**

relieves the tickling sensation that keeps you awake

Public Drug Store  
Thompson Drug Store  
Interurban Pharmacy

**Rooms For Rent**

We have several single and double rooms for rent. Best of accommodations.

K. of C., Recreation Bldg.

CREAMED BUTTERMILK OR  
SWEET SKIMMED MILK  
10c A GALLON  
THE R. M. GRAHAM CO.,  
320 EAST MARKET ST.

5% Interest  
100% Safety  
On Deposits at  
The Allen County  
Savings Loan Company  
Savings Building,  
Corner Market and  
Elizabeth Streets.

GET YOUR  
**Christmas Checks**  
CASHED AT  
**Rowlands**

## To Relieve Catarrh, Catarrhal Deafness And Head Noises

Persons suffering from catarrhal deafness, or who are growing hard of hearing, and have head noises will be glad to know that this distressing affliction can usually be successfully treated at home by the use of a medicine that in many instances has effected complete relief after other treatments have failed. Sufferers who could scarcely hear have had their hearing restored to such an extent that the tick of a watch was plainly audible seven or eight inches away from either ear. Therefore, if you know of someone who is troubled with head noises or catarrhal deafness, cut out this form and hand it to them and you may have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. The prescription can be prepared at home and is made as follows:

Secure from your druggist 1 oz. Earsmit (Double Strength). Take this home and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

Earsmit is used in this way not only to reduce by tonic action the inflammation and swelling in the Eustachian tubes, and thus to equalize the air pressure on the drum but to correct any crested of mucus in the middle ear, and the results it gives are nearly always quick and effective.

Every person who has catarrh in any form, or distressing rumbling, hissing sounds in their ears, should give this recipe a trial.—Adv.

Your money is insured by The American Guaranty Company when deposited in The Lima Dime Savings Bank, 190 South Main-st. We pay 5 per cent interest on savings.

# The Great "Thank You" SALE

## An Unusual Sale

**UNUSUAL** — Because it is the first sale we ever held in the many years of P&Q successful merchandising.

**UNUSUAL** — Because every garment will retain the original price-ticket, with the original price — you make your own reduction.

**UNUSUAL** — Because the stock and store interior will remain unchanged, every garment that you see hanging to-day, will hang to-morrow in the same place, when the sale starts. If you are interested in a garment to-day, you can walk in to-morrow, take 20 per cent off to-day's price—that's the whole story!

No Charge for  
Alterations

But we are compelled to discontinue deliveries during this sale.

The P&Q Shop

## 20 PERCENT DISCOUNT

on every garment in the store without exception or reservation!

## Overcoats, Ulsters, Suits, Fur-Lined Coats, Top Coats and Gabardines

This sale places into your hands P&Q hand-made, all wool garments at factory cost and less.

The sale begins to-morrow, Saturday, December 10th, and is for a limited period only, so come and choose early.

This sale will be conducted without "ifs" or "ands". It will be a plain, straight-forward, bona-fide discount on every garment in this store.

Just walk in! Help yourself! Pick out any garment you want, then pay the salesman 20 per cent less than the price ticket calls for.

## The Reason Why!

WITH THE HOLIDAY spirit at hand, and in grateful consideration of the thousands of loyal customers, we have decided to share a portion of the profits they so generously contributed to our stores in the past years, hence this sale!

TO THOSE WHO ARE not aware of the splendid economies of P&Q Clothes, this will serve as an introduction, which we know will be of mutual benefit — to them now—and to us, by their future patronage.

AND FURTHERMORE — the enormous business which this sale will bring, will help us to carry out our policy of keeping our entire tailoring force employed without a let up, the whole year round.

We intend to make this the greatest absolute bargain event of the decade

DON'T HESITATE look—you're welcome!

The P&Q Shop

You know, P&Q Clothes are sold direct from our Factory to You. They are always \$10 less than others. With this additional 20 per cent discount we know you have never beheld greater values in hand-tailored clothes —or ever will for a long time to come. Don't lose this chance!

P&Q \$20	Maker-to-Wearer Suits and Overcoats, less 20 per cent are now	\$16
	Priced by ordinary retailers \$30 — actual saving, \$14	
P&Q \$25	Maker-to-Wearer Suits and Overcoats—less 20 per cent are now	\$20
	Priced by ordinary retailers 35 — actual saving \$15	
P&Q \$30	Maker-to-Wearer Suits and Overcoats—less 20 per cent are now	\$24
	Priced by ordinary retailers \$40 — actual saving \$16	
P&Q \$35	Maker-to-Wearer Suits and Overcoats—less 20 per cent are now	\$28
	Priced by ordinary retailers \$45 — actual saving \$17	

This sale will make clothing history in this city-- don't miss it!

34 PUBLIC  
SQUARE  
LIMA

We Give The Values  
And Get The Business

The P&Q Shop  
CLOTHES FOR MEN

W. H. Hartzler, Mgr.

34 PUBLIC  
SQUARE  
LIMA

## MOTHER!

Open Child's Bowels with  
"California Fig Syrup"



Hurry Mother! A teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" now will thoroughly clean the little bowels and in a few hours you have a well, playful child again. Even a cross, feverish, constipated child loves its "fruity" taste, and mothers can rest easy because it never fails to work all the sour bile and poisons right out of the stomach and bowels without griping or upsetting the child.

Tell your druggist you want only the genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on the bottle. Mother you must say "California." Refuse an imitation.—Adv.

## ARE YOU WEAK?

Beauty and Health Go Hand in Hand. Read This:

Madison, Ohio — "I am writing to state that I have used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for a weak, rundown condition, and have felt a great deal better since going to it. It has done me worlds of good, and I would recommend it to anyone for the above condition."—Mrs. Martin Tanner.

Health is your most valuable asset. Do not neglect it. Write Dr. Pierce, Pres. of the Invalids' Hotel, in Buffalo, N. Y., all about yourself. You will receive confidential medical advice FREE of all cost or send 10c for a trial pkg. of tablets.—Adv.

## Fancy Work Sale

(All Hand Made)

Saturday, Dec. 10  
One Day Only

NIGHT GOWNS, TOWELS,  
WASH CLOTHS, PILLOW  
CASES, ETC.

OTTAWA PAINT  
SHOP  
121 W. HIGH ST.

6%

The Franklin Finance Co.  
John F. Cover, Jr., Pres.  
12915 West High Street

Rooms 1-3-4  
2nd floor—1st door east of Postoffice



## LEAGUE MEETING TEST IN SAAR

Protects Mines Given to France  
For German Destruction

To workers in the mines and mills of Europe the League of Nations, international treaties, peace and war are realities that affect their daily work—not phases as they are to most of us. Whiting Williams is telling Lima News readers what he learned about the European workers' viewpoint in a "pick and shovel" investigation. This is Williams' eighth article.

BY WHITING WILLIAMS  
I AM A GOOD GERMAN, you understand. Still I must say that the French proprietors here are paying us better and treating us better than the Prussian state officials.

These surprising words came from an employe of the French government now in control of the coal mines of the Saar district, located in the north central edge of Alsace-Lorraine.

These mines were given over to France as reparation for the destruction of coal pits of Lens. The disposition is under the control of a commission of five chosen to represent the League of Nations. Several thousand French soldiers are at the

disposition of the commissioners. Altogether the Saar gives a mighty good demonstration of just about the most important thing I've run onto—the huge importance to us all of our daily jobs.

If the League of Nations' officials will keep that in mind and help the coal miners and steel workers of the Saar district to keep happily at work, it will mean a lot for the peace of the world.

There's nothing in the world today that interests the workers of Europe and of America, too—anything like so much as just that.

(Three thousand Chinese have been imported to help rebuild France, Williams tells about it next in The Lima News).

### ACTS AS ATTORNEY IN OWN CASE; IS JAILED

WAPAKONETA — Acting as his own attorney, John Kuhlman, former Minister grocer, on trial in the court of R. G. Herrmann, justice of the peace here on a charge of failing to send his 14 year old daughter to school, was found guilty by a jury in 30 minutes. Justice Herrmann sentenced Kuhlman to jail for 30 days and to pay a fine of \$200.

### MAY END STRIKE

CLEVELAND — A meeting of the milk wagon drivers and chauffeurs' union has been called for tonight when a compromise proposition, drawn up by a special committee of city council, will be submitted in the hopes of settling the strike of 800 employes of the Telling Belle-Vernon Company, which has been in effect here for more than a month.

Runaway Sale at Court House Saturday.

### BARON CASE WILL GO TO JURY LATE TODAY

CLEVELAND — The case of Mee H. Baron, wealthy Brooklyn cafe owner, and Ike Simon and Hyman Barnett of Pittsburgh, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government in the alleged illegal shipment of whiskey from Pittsburgh to Youngstown, will go to the jury this afternoon. Taking of evidence was concluded yesterday.

When court opened, Assistant United States District Attorney Joseph C. Breitenstein was prepared to sum up the government's case. Breitenstein contends that Baron withdrew liquor from a Pittsburgh warehouse to be sold in Youngstown for beverage purposes. A shipment of 500 cases was seized by Youngstown police.

Baron's counsel deny the conspiracy charge. They claim Baron withdrew the whiskey to be transported to Brooklyn for medicinal purposes.

WAPAKONETA — Lafa W. Kuening, postmaster of New Bremen, whose term is soon to expire and who intended taking the civil service test as a candidate for reappointment, has withdrawn from the race and will move to this city, to become secretary of the City Loan & Savings company.

### DEMAND TRAINS BE RESTORED

ST. MARYS — A resolution was adopted in the chamber of commerce here, calling upon the L. E. & W. Railroad company to restore two passenger trains recently eliminated from the daily schedule. All commercial organizations along the line between Sandusky and Muskegon are being requested to cooperate in the demand.

### LIMA OFFICERS NAMED FOR INFANTRY SERVICE

Two Lima officers have received appointments to the 332nd Infantry and are included in the personnel named by Colonel G. H. Davis, Columbus, who is organizing the 33rd Division, reserves. It was announced Friday.

Major Carl D. Crites and Captain Leonard Vogel are the Lima men to receive appointments. Major Raymond C. Leslie, Paulding, was also assigned to the 332nd infantry.

### RECOVERS FROM PNEUMONIA

Mrs. W. J. Schafer, 455 W. McKibben-st., taken to St. Rita's hospital ten days ago, suffering from pneumonia, had so far recovered Thursday she was removed to her home.

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### ARRAIGN ALLEGED AUTO THIEF THIS AFTERNOON

Pascal Machiell, 23, of 809 Racine-av., Chicago, was brought back to Lima early Friday morning to face a charge of stealing a Buick touring car from R. C. Barnhardt. He was in custody of Patrolman J. W. Keller, who secured the prisoner on extradition papers signed by the governors of Ohio and Illinois.

Machiell denies connection with the case and says he was never in Lima before. He was arrested by the Chicago police. He is to be arraigned late Friday it is announced.

### BESSE COPELAND IS NEW REBEKAH HEAD

Following are the officers chosen members of the Shawnee Rebekah Lodge No. 50 for the year. Besse Copeland, noble grand; Rosa Shingledacker, vice-grand; Minto Bolton, recording secretary; Elita Yeakum, financial secretary; Osa Crist, treasurer; Isabelle Long, trustee; Belle Rike, deputy president; Nellie Albridge, pianist, and Anna Alexander, team captain.

### TONG SEEKS PEACE

SACRAMENTO, Calif.—The general spirit of arms limitation found echo here today. The Bing Kong Tong, one of the strongest Chinese organizations, in a resolution asked all other Tong to co-operate in maintaining peace. The resolution declares no more Tong wars should be tolerated in California.

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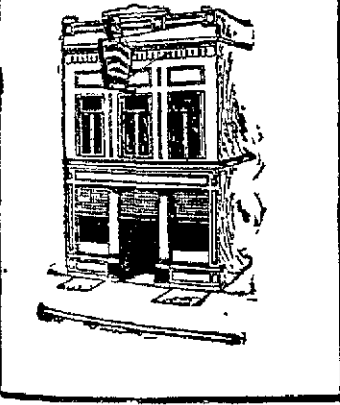
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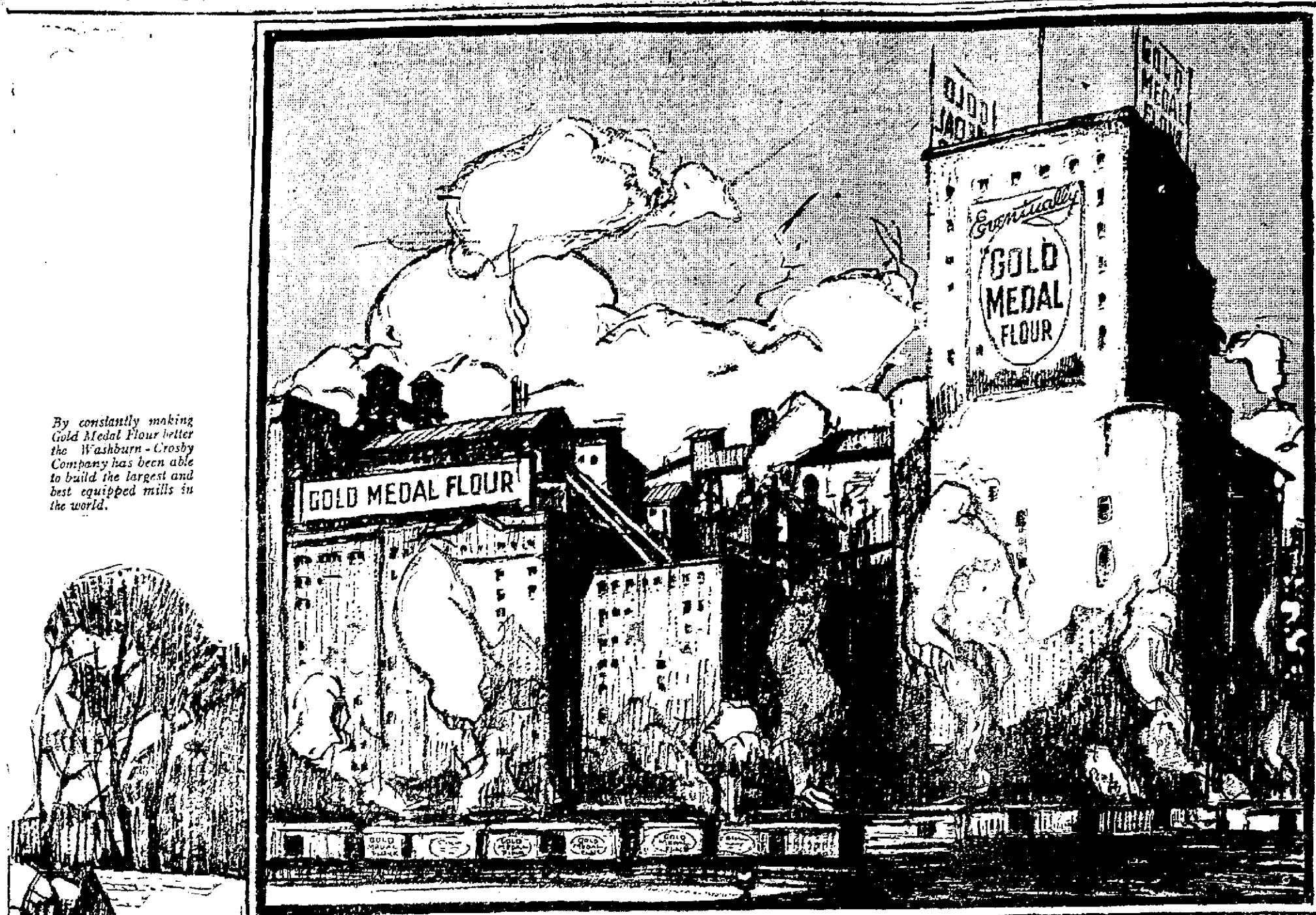
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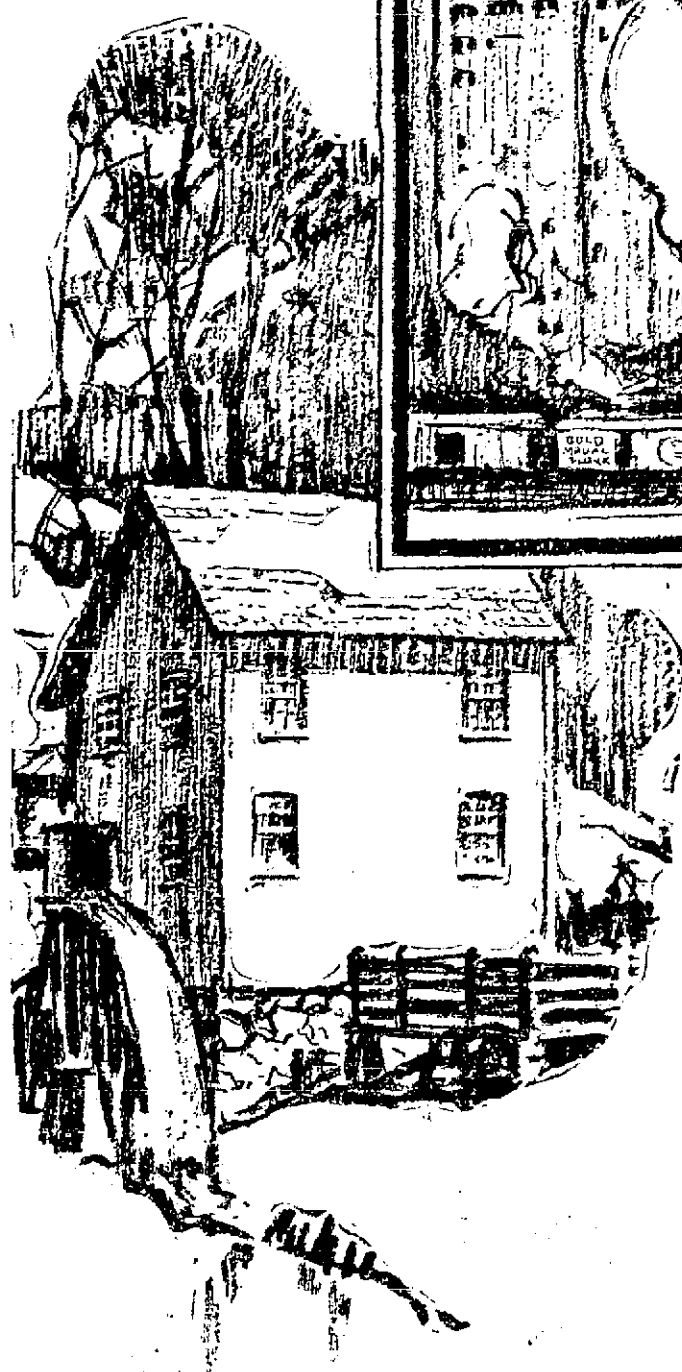


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Williamson's Best (Kansas) Flour	\$1.15
Rosebud Scratch Feed, 100 lbs.	\$2.00
Rosebud Buttermilk Mash, per 100 lbs.	\$2.75
Cracked Corn, per 100 lbs.	\$1.50
Chop Feed, 48 lb. bag	75c
Wheat Bran, 50 lbs.	80c
Wheat Middlings, 100 lbs.	\$1.80
New Buckwheat Flour	5c lb.
Conkey's Poultry Tonic, box	25c and 50c
Union Dairy Feed, 100 lbs.	\$1.75
Preferred Pancake or Buckwheat Flour	15c

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Gallon Pure Apple Butter	29c	24 Lb. Sack Flour	75
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# DEATH ROW HIGH MARK REACHED

New Record Set in Number of Ohio's Doomed Men

10 TO DIE IN ELECTRIC CHAIR

Seven to Pay Supreme Penalty Within Three Months

COLUMBUS. — (By Associated Press.)—Population of the "death row" at the Ohio penitentiary has reached the record mark set recently—10. Seven men in the "an-ner" unless reprieved kinder, of the present population, will step thru the green door to oblivion; three have been granted indefinite re-leases, but they still occupy cells in the annex, and are counted on among its population.

Once before the number of men waiting to be electrocuted reached 10, and that was considered an un-usually high mark.

Roy Chamblin, of Portsmouth, who recently murdered John New-man and Louise Doyle, and Samuel Purpera, youthful Cleveland payroll bandit, charged with being implicat-ed in the Sly-Fanner payroll rob-bery are perhaps the most notorious of the seven men awaiting death.

SMUGGLE ATTEMPTED. Penitentiary officials just the oth-er week frustrated an attempt on the part of Purpera's sister to smuggle a gun in to him.

"There probably would have been some widows around here, if we hadn't got the gun," said Frank Howell, secretary to Warden Thomas. "Purpera had nothing to lose and everything to gain."

Chamblin is slated to be electro-cuted February 24. Purpera will go to his death February 10, unless courts or the governor intervene.

Harry Lee Bland, of Meigs-co is to die January 9; John McGuire of Lu-cas-co, February 3; Walter Wallace Wright, Jefferson-co; March 1, and Arthur Harding, Lucas-co, February 24, making a double electrocution on that date. All seven of the elec-trocutions come within the three months January, February and March.

Joe Mack, to have been electro-cuted Oct. 3; Charles W. Harbig, Cuyahoga-co, September 30, and Edward Moffett, Summit-co, Septem-ber 30, all have been granted indef-inite stays of execution. Mack was sent up from Summit-co.

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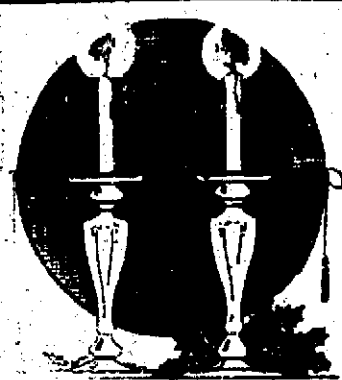
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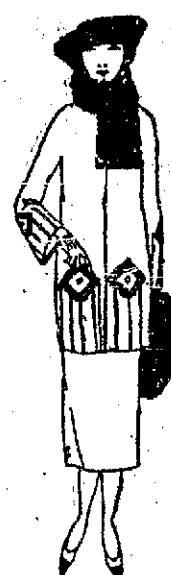
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## OPEN LETTERS

## To City Commissioners

MY FRIENDS: According to announcement thru the columns of my favorite newspaper, it is your intention to release Saturday the name of the man who is to be the manager of my city, under the new form of government, to be inaugurated on January 1.

I have every confidence that you will choose wisely and well and that the business boss of my city to be designated by your board will measure up to the specifications heretofore outlined in this department. That nothing less than a big man, a capable executive, an organizer, a builder and a personage able to properly represent this city on any and all occasions will be acceptable to you, I feel certain.

If, perchance, you should err, the mistake will most likely be one of the head and not of the heart, for I am satisfied that each and every one of you has closest to his heart the interests and welfare of our wonderful city.

LIMA BEANE.

## To Governor Davis

DEAR HARRY: I believe you are right in feeling that there is no need of calling the Legislature into session unless that body has something to work on in the way of a program of taxation that can be adopted and which will afford the relief your administration promised and which the state needs badly.

Considering your election was brought about largely on specific promises of tax revision and the adoption of measures that would remedy a tense situation, I believe you will agree with me that the onus is upon you, late tho it is, to point the way. Your failure to map out a program and the hindrance you are offering to others who would do so, is not flattering to your administration.

As I see it, you should aid in working out the right plan and then get busy. Political promises are easily made; keeping them is another sort of thing, viewing your position.

LIMA BEANE.

## To Lima Elks

MY FRIENDS: Pleased indeed is the announcement made that you are to have 700 of the poor kiddies of my city, who would not otherwise have an opportunity to participate in the real joys of Yuletide, as your guests the afternoon of December 24, in a Christmas party.

Past experience in the result of your undertakings is proof that this forthcoming event will be the success intended. The things you plan are usually made a splendid success, hence the kiddies are anticipating with a great measure of pleasure the opportunity to greet Santa Claus with you.

"Inasmuch as ye do it unto the least of these, My brethren, ye do it also unto Me," words of the lowly Nazarene.

LIMA BEANE.

## To Dr. D. F. Helms

REVEREND SIR: I like the sort of advice you handed to fathers of boys at the "Father and Son" banquet held in my city, as the opening gun in a campaign for betterment of the boys.

Agreeing with you what the boys read largely controls their future, is easy. Too much care and caution cannot be exercised in seeing to it that the juvenile mind is stocked with the right sort of knowledge disclosed in literature. The right kind of pictures should be hung upon the walls of their intellect.

LIMA BEANE.

## AS YOU LIKE IT

Three years ago the British said there would be peace in Ireland by Christmas. Hope this is the Christmas.

Only men who want to pay income tax are those who don't have to.

## ABE MARTIN



The garment workers are going on another strike, but the garment wearers will continue to 'police' of 'wait' until the 'feller' that took what he could get was regarded as a poor business man.

The height of fashion is knee-high.

Those bathing beauties, who left magazine covers not long ago, are posing in 1922 calendars.

Congress wants \$1,000,000,000 Nine naughts for naught

Henry Ford's friends call him "Hen" because his plans hatch

"Can a man make love in an airplane?" is an Indiana court question. He can't without help.

The invention to take darkness out of the movies will also take out of the movies the love couples.

From the price of eggs they must think Christmas is Easter.

Every girl likes outdoor sports—they are handsome.

The good die young, so do good resolutions.

Men who only look out for Number One forget how small it is.

When the landlord raises the rent it's your move.

"No news is good news." wasn't said by a newspaper subscriber.

If wishes were money, we would all have a million for Christmas.

## POEMS YOU WILL ENJOY

By BERTON BRADLEY

## MEMORIES

Those good old songs, those tender songs.

Those southern ballads gentle, That always make the maddening throng.

Grow soft and sentimental— Oh take me back to Tennessee And let me see my Mammy.

My Mammy dear who waits for me Down South in Alabama!

Those songs that say, "Oh let me team Down where the live oaks quiver," Half stolen from "Kentucky Home"

And halt from "Swanee River!" These song-composing gentlemen Sing, "Dixie-Land is MY Land."

The none of them has ever been "Down South" of Staten Island!

Oh how I love those southern songs (Altho they're slightly thin)

About the homesick lad who longs To be "back in Virginia."

Those Dixie songs, those trisley songs.

That croon so musically, Those fair old, rare old southern songs

That come from Tin Pan Alley!

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## To Abandonment Opponents

FRIENDS: Trusting that you, representatives of the forces seeking to prevent the abandonment of service on the Lima-Defiance division of the I. C. & E. Railway, will meet with success in your efforts before the state public utilities commission at Columbus on December 14, I wish to commend your determination to oppose stopping operation of cars on that line.

I cannot understand why the receiver should make application for permission to abandon the line as a non-earning agency when it is considered, as I understand the situation, it is required to pay its part of big salaries to receiver and engineers. Why not cut off some of that expense and give the road a fair chance, while affording service to a territory that needs service badly?

LIMA BEANE

## To Bishop Robert Harris

MY DEAR BISHOP: I have been following with no small amount of interest the thought expressed in your series of sermons, delivered each evening at Christ Episcopal church in my city and must confess that your presentation of argument in favor of men and women embracing the Christian religion is getting the right sort of results, bringing home as you do to your auditors the powerful truths of religion.

The skeptic and the agnostic may find what they feel to be contentment back of the supposed bulwarks of their line of reasoning, but as you are laying bare undeniable truths of Holy Writ and the Omnipotence of God, it appears to me that the foundations of antipathy to the teachings of the Nazarene existing in any mind afforded the opportunity of hearing your reasoning, loosed in words, must be severely shaken, if indeed not toppled.

LIMA BEANE.

## To A. C. CaJacob

DEAR AL: Please accept my congratulations on your election to the honored position of president of my Kiwanis club. The body of men you have been chosen to direct during the forthcoming year is one of which I am justly proud.

The big things Kiwanis has aided in putting over in my city in the past is proof sufficient for me that its good work will be carried on in other directions.

They're a fine lot of folks, AL. I feel your tenure of office is going to be pleasant and under your direction the best sort of results will be attained during the year.

LIMA BEANE.

## To Dr. J. J. Sutter

MY DEAR SIR: As health commissioner of Allen-co I desire to commend you for the part you played in arranging a tuberculosis clinic in my city, at the Red Cross Health center two days this week.

Results of the examination of 43 persons, according to announcement made, indicate that there is need of more of these clinics, attended by more publicity and by more far-reaching efforts. That 16 positive cases of tuberculosis were disclosed and six suspicious ones found in the examination, shows one-half the people presented affected by the dread white plague germ.

Announcement of another clinic to be held in January for the benefit of the people of my city is gratifying. I feel that the plan is an excellent one for fighting tuberculosis.

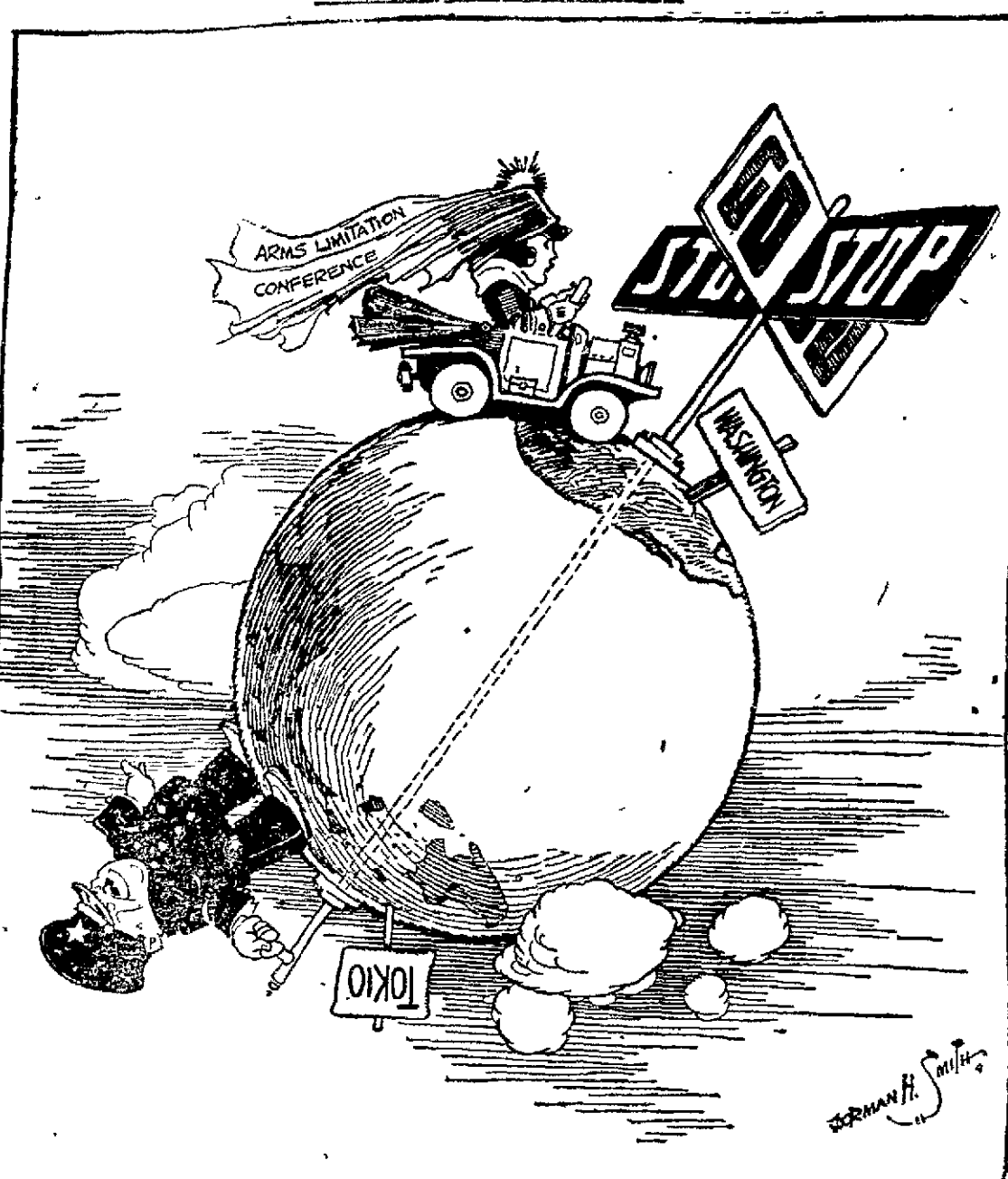
LIMA BEANE.

## To Members of the Disarmament Conference

HONORABLE SIRS: Every mother in Lima, as every mother in the world, is praying that you will bring about a century-old hope of mothers that war will be banished from the earth and their sons need no longer be sacrificed in fighting.

They expect much but it is in your power to do much.

LIMA BEANE



## YOU AND I : COMMENT ON TOPICS OF INTEREST TO ALL

## CHANGE

Fig trees and giant palms with leaves six feet across once grew in North Dakota. This is shown by fossils, dug up by the government's Geological Survey.

About the time North Dakota had a tropical climate, nature was preparing the coal you are using now.

The whole scheme of things, since creation, has been a preparation of the earth for man in the civilized stage.

Man as he exists now is about half way between the ancient fig trees of North Dakota and the really civilized man of the future. We are on the right road, but barely started.

## MA

At the age of 10 or 45, the average American father becomes heavy in his personality, too satisfied with his own way of thinking. The only thing he gives is advice, most of which is poor, says Joseph K. Hart, educational expert.

All the more reason why ma should get out in public life and keep ahead of the times so children will have at least one keen counselor. Women improve, men deteriorate, with age.



## Bad Colds

WET, stormy weather, exposure, sniffles, and the heavy cold is on. Dr. King's New Discovery breaks it up quickly and pleasantly. Head cleaned up, cough relieved and you feel better. At your druggists, 60c.

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"When baby was six weeks old eczema broke out on his cheek in a watery rash and gradually spread until the whole cheek became a burning, itching eruption. It irritated so he would rub his face. His face was disfigured and he was fretful, waking and crying at night."

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## HUNTERS

The deer hunting season in the Maine woods this year was highly successful—from the standpoint of the deer. Fourteen hunters were killed, four of them shot by mistake for deer.

Every hunter, before being given a license, should be made to undergo examinations as to his fitness to use a rifle. Three of the Maine hunters accidentally shot themselves.

## HEALTH

Three million Americans seriously ill at all times. That was the report, in 1909, of Roosevelt's commission on national vitality.

That huge sick list has been cut to 2,400,000, says a similar commission, appointed by Herbert Hoover. Health is not only getting better,

says the report, but five years have been added to the average life since 1900.

This means the average American now is sick about eight days a year. At least 40 per cent of our sickness is preventable.

Get plenty of exercise. Don't eat too much. Be a glutton for fresh air. Guard against taking cold. This program will surely keep you healthier than the average. Chances are, it will keep you from being sick at all. A weakened body is easy prey for germs.

## Relieve baby's itching skin with RESINOL

Soothing and Healing

Has just the cooling touch to produce comfort and permit sleep

Does not smart or sting when applied

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\$3.75

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Wool Velour, Bolivia, Plush—in short styles, some trimmed with fur collars and others plain and silk lined. Special.

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"Yes—and won't you be seated?"

You sit down.

"Open your mouth—there now—  
just 20 minutes, please!"

Holding a little instrument, not  
unlike a fountain pen, in your  
mouth, you sit for 20 minutes.

Then:

"There, that's all now!"

And out you go—maybe you  
haven't even taken your hat off—  
minus your tonsils!

RADIUM DOES IT

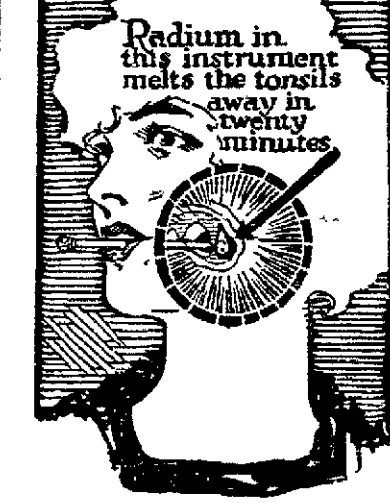
Radium which you held in the in-  
strument in your mouth melted the  
tonsils away. No blood, no knives,  
no pain, only 20 minutes of your  
time gone and you can continue  
your working and playing and eat-  
ing as if you'd never had a tonsil!

Dr. A. Graham Biddle, New York  
specialist, is perfecting the radium  
treatment for tonsils. He has been  
working nine years to eliminate the  
danger, blood and pain of tonsil re-  
moval.

METHOD SIMPLE

"The method," says Dr. Biddle, "is  
exceedingly simple. The patient  
needs no previous treatment or prepa-  
ration. The attending physician  
would assist perhaps in adjusting  
the radium pencil so that it would  
strike the tonsil—after that the pa-

## HERE'S TONSILS' GREATEST FOE



Dr. A. Graham Biddle

tient holds it there until the fibre is  
melted away.

"The radium melts back to what  
is called the crypt—a little ridge  
about as thick as this." Biddle was  
holding up a piece of issue paper

folded three times. "That little  
ridge is allowed to remain.

MAKES EXPERIMENTS

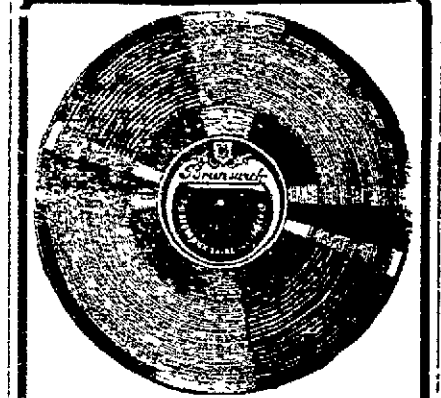
"Radium has interested me in-  
tensely. I watched its effect on can-  
cers and it occurred to me that ton-  
sils might be removed that way.

"So, experimenting with removed  
tonsils, I found that Gamma radium  
(there are three classes of radium,  
Alpha, Beta and Gamma, all of which  
have a different action) would dis-  
solve the fibrous tissue of the ton-  
sil."

The treatment, Biddle says, never  
requires more than 20 minutes.

"And that's all there is to it."

Biddle, a rather genial, heavy-voiced  
man, snapped his thumb and third  
finger, "no blood and no tonsils ly-  
ing around on the table!"



HEAR THIS  
BRUNSWICK RECORD  
SATURDAY

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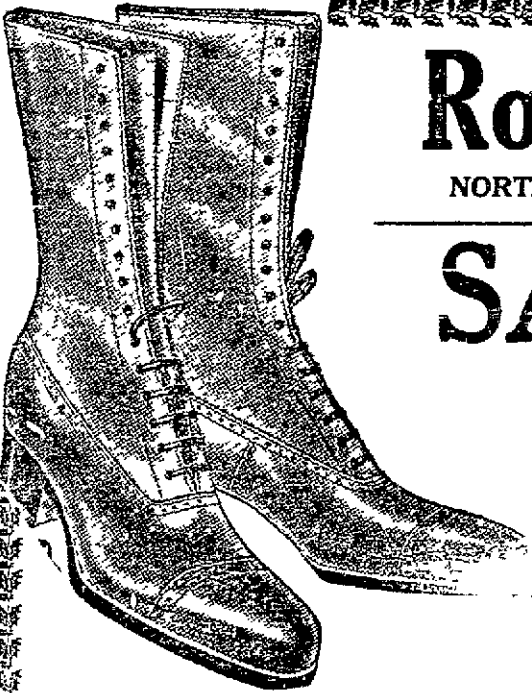
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and

"Sweet Man O' Mine"

Fox Trot  
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Shoes for The Entire Family

### FELT HOUSE SLIPPERS

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Down—  
Several Dollars  
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### Ladies' Shoes, Pumps and Oxfords

Boots \$2.85

Military heels —  
black cloth tops ..

Oxfords \$4.45

Neat Brogue—Flat  
heels—very special

Oxfords \$4.95

Patent Leather —  
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Boots \$3.95

Black or brown —  
strictly high grade

Pumps \$4.95

One strap—Satin  
Satin—very special

Spats 99c

All colors—Special  
Saturday .....

### Men's Shoes Reduced for Saturday

#### MEN'S DRESS SHOES

Black or Brown Brogue—Square  
Toes—Rubber Heels

\$4.95

#### MEN'S ELK SKIN WORK SHOES

Good quality

\$2.95

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Russia Calf—Semi-English

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### Low Prices on Children's Shoes

BOYS' OR GIRLS'  
Black or Brown—11 1/2-2

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BOYS' OR GIRLS'  
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A wonderful line of striped  
and plaid skirtings, in the  
newest stripes, and designs,  
materials of the finest qual-  
ity, formerly sold at \$8 yd  
at

\$3.95 Yd.

### Silk Shirting--

\$1.98

A complete line of silk shir-  
tings, in crepe de chine, and  
silk broadcloth, with woven  
color stripes or satin stripes,  
in the 32 inch width, all the  
latest designs, for Christmas  
home shirt making, special  
at

\$1.98 Yd.

### Winter Suits--

Absolute clearance of our en-  
tire stock of suits under \$65,  
to be made in this sale of en-  
tirely new styles, in Mouss-  
yne, Duvet de Laine, Trico-  
tine, Veldyne, and Silk Duv-  
eyn,—some fur trimmed, at

\$24.75

### Great Reduction on Frocks--

One lot of silk frocks, in  
faillies, plain and brocade  
Canton, and combinations of  
georgette and Canton, which  
formerly sold up to \$120.00,  
ALL THIS SEASON'S  
STOCKS, reduced to one  
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To encourage EARLY Christmas Shopping,  
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## Our Entire Stock of Fine Furs

Coats--  
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Our entire stock of fine furs, ranging in price from \$10 to \$750  
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a special 20% discount. The selection comprises Mink, Fox, Wolf,  
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Opossum, Kolinsky and Hudson Bay Sable. Chokers from \$10 up-  
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are extremely low and considering an additional discount of 20%  
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Fur Shop—Third Floor  
Come in and see the display



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## BLUEM'S

IN THE NEW  
RETAIL  
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### Winter Frocks--

25 frocks, of Polart will, Canton  
crepe, satin, and tricotine, in the  
smartest styles of the season, re-  
duced from prices as high as \$65  
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### Fur-Trimmed Coats

All fur trimmed coats, elaborate  
styled, and tailored models, in one  
large showing, trimmed with  
beaverette, raccoon, opossum,  
wolf, and near seal, many are em-  
brodered, at one price—

\$49.50

## The Easy XMAS CREDIT PLAN

This plan will enable you to do ALL your Xmas shopping. You  
don't have to deny anyone his gift because your cash may run short.  
Pay only a small deposit and pay the balance long after Xmas.

Make this a real merry Xmas. Remember ALL your friends and  
loved ones. And in doing so SAVE MONEY because we have cut  
the price of everything in the store 25% to 50%.

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Silk Shirts ..... \$5.98  
Fine Caps ..... .95  
Mackinaws ..... 12.98  
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for LITTLE folk

Mackinaws ..... 9.50  
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for WOMEN folk

Silk Waists ..... \$3.98  
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Silk & Wool Sweaters ..... 5.98

Fur Scarfs  
& Chokers ..... 8.98

### Ladies' REDUCED SUITS THAT WERE

\$55, \$52, \$49, \$47, \$42,  
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23 1/2 Suits Now 16.98

Ladies'  
COATS THAT  
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32.50 and 35.00  
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### MEN'S Plaid Back O'Coats

Herringbones, Tweeds, Kerseys  
\$34.98

Suits  
Worsted, Cheviots, Serges  
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## COOKING YOUR CHRISTMAS DINNER WORRYING YOU?

Sister Mary Tells You Today  
How to Prepare the "Trimings"

## Society News

**MEMBERS** of the Zenda Shen club and a few guests met at the home of Miss Esther Wagner, of S. Elizabeth-st., Thursday evening. Five hundred was enjoyed. At the close of the game with Miss Alvina Cardosi holding high score among the members and Miss Margaret McFadden among the guests, the hostess served a dainty two course luncheon.

Guests other than club members included Miss Rose Clithman and Miss Margaret McFadden. Next meeting will be held in a fortnight at the home of Miss Chira DeCatus, Greenlawn-av.

Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Deibel, of S. Coe-st., entertained a large group of guests with an attractively arranged card party at their home. Baskets of rosebuds were placed throughout the rooms. Military music was enjoyed, 11 tables being arranged for play. At the conclusion of the playing Dr. J. B. Toling, Frank Harman, Mrs. M. A. Wagner, and Mrs. John E. Calvin holding high scores a buffet luncheon was served.

Mrs. Fred Beam received a large company of guests at an attractively appointed 5 o'clock tea at the Hotel Argonne, Thursday.

The hostess was attired in a black gown and wore a large red picture hat. Her corsage was of red roses and violets.

Tables were laid in the Crystal room. The north end of the room was garlanded with southern smilax and wreaths of red, giving the Christmas note. Each table was adorned the entire length with greenery, red berries and red candles in low (1) holders tied with bows of tulle. Place cards were decorated in artistic design and Christmas harkins added to the beauty of the occasion. An orchestra played throughout the evening.

Guests included Mesdames W. A. Campbell, L. L. Andrews, Paul Agterier, C. L. Ackerman, J. K. Bannister, Fred C. Becker, George Carter, J. D. Armstrong, Benjamin Altschul, Roy Banta, C. S. Baxter, Lush M. Butler, F. J. Banta, M. L. Becker, H. O. Bentley, Frank Baxter, Chester M. Cable, Henry Daisel, J. A. H. Cress, M. H. Cress, R. E. Bates, S. A. Baxler, George Baxler, Charles Baxler, May C. Boller, M. S. Bousher, D. J. Cable, O. E. Chenoweth, Phil Crow, Jimmie Curtiss, M. P. Coll, C. H. Clark, W. E. Clayton, H. M. Crawford, E. J. Curtiss, F. T. Cuthbert, R. Butcher, W. R. Danforth, E. A. Dean, W. T. Duffield, J. W. Dunlap, George Dangler, Henry Fenton, Everett Furnas, Viola Gates, L. S. Galvin, George Glover, Frank Drake, A. S. Cress, Henry Daisel, Sr., Frank Downing, Seward Folsom, J. E. Galvin, Charles Gamble, J. E. Cover, George Eckert, B. M. Gooding, Roy B. Gregg, Harry Harper, Jr., Agnes Haller, W. H. Hay, R. T. Gregg, Frank Hannan, Charles Harb, John Hattley, Alice M. Hill, Lewis Hoffman, Grace Hollister, Homer H. Hughes, H. A. Holdridge, J. E. Grosjean, J. W. Halliwell, Simon Hucker, Ruth Keir Hyter, T. K. Jacobs, W. H. Holdridge, T. J. Hoffman.

Mesdames M. M. Keltner, Abner Jones, Frank Kimmick, Alan H. Knisely, W. L. Mackenzie, J. D. Kerr, Charles Killeen, B. A. Long, A. T. MacDonnell, George Mahaffey, C. F. Lufkin, Holmes McKenney, George McDonnell, F. L. Maure, G. J. McCullough, T. A. McLaughlin, C. C. Miller, Harry S. Monahan, Frank Nake, A. L. McNeany, Leon B. Marzetti, J. Robb Melly, D. W. Morris, Walter Montgomery, Shelby Maunah, W. L. Parmenter, Harry Pow, Jacob Piper, J. B. Poling, E. C. Powell, J. S. Pursell, W. L. Russell, Harry T. Robinson, I. L. Motter, W. B. Ritchie, Amelia Schiewe, Clinton Sealtis, Walter M. Scott, Frank Steiner, Merton Sealtis, William M. Sealtis, Oliver Sealtis, S. Sealtis, Paul Sealtis, J. M. Sealtis, D. M. Sullivan, J. E. Sullivan, O. B. Sealtis, E. B. Taylor, R. P. Thomas, M. S. Thompson, Lynn B. Timmerman, Clair M. Tolon, J. B. Vail, Alfred Wemmer, T. A. Welch, William Wemmer, A. L. White, H. C. Ruff, T. K. Wylie, Rn self Young, E. N. Zelitz, Earl Sealtis, Karl Renz, S. A. Sealtis, L. B. Pratt, George Vetter, G. F. Willows, Harry Workman, Frank Wright, Henry G. Wemmer, Benjamin F. Welter.

Mrs. Ross Stapleton, of N. Metcalf-st., opened her home to the members of the Martha Washington club on Thursday. Twelve members and four guests, Mrs. Earl Snyder, Mrs. H. B. Hoffman, Mrs. Darrell McGinnis and Miss Olive Lake were in attendance. In the contest, Mrs. M. S. Allen was successful. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. I. W. Brown. Christmas favors were presented to the guests. Throughout the rooms decorations in keeping with the season were used.

Next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mrs. M. S. Allen, of Calumet-av.

Misses Naomi and Janice Lippincott, of 734 W. North-st., will entertain the members of the Kings' Herald of Trinity M. E. church at their home Saturday at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. S. A. Beck will give a talk. Miss Beck devoted 21 days of her life in Korea. She will have many topics of interest to relate to the young people. Mesdames E. B. Martin, C. A. Aganbright and J. J. Sutter will assist Mrs. Lippincott. All young people between the ages of 8 and 14 years are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Amelia Huestein, Mrs. W. C. Berryhill and Miss Emma Huestein motor to Bufton Thursday where they spent the day with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Collins, Mrs. Flora May Collins and Miss Nettie Bacom are located at the Collins winter home, 424 Fourth-av., St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will remain for the winter.

Buy the family a FORD for Xmas

## SOCIAL CALENDAR

## FRIDAY

Auxiliary Unit of the American Legion, Memorial Hall, 7:30 p. m.  
University club, Mt. and Mrs. L. E. Ludwig, 7:30 p. m.  
College Days to be presented by Boys' and Girls' Glee clubs, of Central high school, school auditorium, 8 p. m.

## SATURDAY

Mrs. Alvin McCartney entertains with a 1 o'clock luncheon at the Elks' home, honoring Mrs. R. I. Pierce. Philomathean club, Mrs. Gwen Jones Peace, 6 p. m.  
Home Economics committee of City Federation of Women's clubs, Mrs. W. C. Bradley, 2 p. m.  
Knights of Trinity M. E. church, Misses Naomi and Janice Lippincott, 2:30 p. m.  
Loan Scholarship committee of City Federation of Women's clubs, public library, 4:30 p. m.  
Mrs. Sig Lester, Mrs. J. B. Weil, Mrs. H. B. Friedman and Mrs. Harry Krueger, luncheon bridge, Hotel Norval, 1 o'clock.

The Congregational church is one that lends itself well to a concert and when decorated as it was Thursday afternoon is, indeed, beautiful. The decorations were of feathery asparagus ferns, small Christmas trees and a glorious Christmas star in a wreath, all in keeping with the annual Christmas program of the church.

The program opened with the Women's chorus singing the following Christmas carols: "Mark the Herald Angels Sing," "The Little Lord Jesus" and "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing." Mrs. Reed Marshall accompanied at the organ. She is an organist of great ability.

The second number, "Joseph Tendency, Joseph Tendency," a 19th century song was beautiful as sung by Mrs. Beatha Falk Callahan.

An organ overture of Von Flotow played by Mrs. Reed Marshall was a delightful number.

The fourth number was a cantata, "The Christ Child," by Paul Rie with readings from the Bible by Mrs. J. K. Bannister, Mrs. J. A. Gooding, Mrs. R. O. Woods, Messrs. J. Alton Grubb and Fred Calvert took the solos and quartet work most effectively.

The closing numbers were organ selections "Kanonetta" by Tchaikowsky and "Toccata" by Debussy played by Mrs. Reed Marshall. Mrs. Evans is a recent addition to the club. Both of her numbers were most difficult and were splendidly played. She is at present organist for the Van Wert Presbyterian church.

Miss Maxine Hoover, of E. Wayne-st., was surprised by a number of her little school mates when they gathered at her home Thursday in celebration of her seventh birthday anniversary. Games and music were the diversions and a dainty luncheon was served.

Those present included Lella Harvey, Mary Jane Boushman, Pauline Tullis, Margaret Frazee, May and Georgianna Penn, Lucile Menere, Helen Lusk, Donnadene Stewart, Lavone and Margaret Priddy, Alice May McVilly, Paul Gross, George Gottfried, Eugene Hoof, Gletis Hall, Harold Locher and Maxine Hoover.

Forty were in attendance.

Home Economics committee of City Federation of Women's clubs will meet Saturday at 2 p. m. with Mrs. W. C. Bradley, of Shawnee.

Loan Scholarship committee of City Federation of Women's clubs will meet Saturday at 4 p. m. at the public library.

Misses Ella, Isabelle and Mable Mackenzie, Nettie Shook, Frances Maure, Ann and Lillian Taylor, Mildred Catt, Netta Deyell and Alice M. Hull.

Mrs. Ross Stapleton, of N. Metcalf-st., opened her home to the members of the Martha Washington club on Thursday. Twelve members and four guests, Mrs. Earl Snyder, Mrs. H. B. Hoffman, Mrs. Darrell McGinnis and Miss Olive Lake were in attendance. In the contest, Mrs. M. S. Allen was successful. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. I. W. Brown. Christmas favors were presented to the guests. Throughout the rooms decorations in keeping with the season were used.

Next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mrs. M. S. Allen, of Calumet-av.

Misses Naomi and Janice Lippincott, of 734 W. North-st., will entertain the members of the Kings' Herald of Trinity M. E. church at their home Saturday at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. S. A. Beck will give a talk. Miss Beck devoted 21 days of her life in Korea. She will have many topics of interest to relate to the young people. Mesdames E. B. Martin, C. A. Aganbright and J. J. Sutter will assist Mrs. Lippincott. All young people between the ages of 8 and 14 years are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Amelia Huestein, Mrs. W. C. Berryhill and Miss Emma Huestein motor to Bufton Thursday where they spent the day with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Collins, Mrs. Flora May Collins and Miss Nettie Bacom are located at the Collins winter home, 424 Fourth-av., St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will remain for the winter.

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## Flavor Should be Distinctive, Says Noted Expert on Cooking—How to Obtain this Desirable Effect

Let the vegetables that accompany turkey, duck or goose for the Christmas dinner be distinctive in flavor. Onions, turnips, squash, cabbage, parsnips, brussels sprouts or cauliflower—any of these are well chosen. Green peas are sometimes served with duck but are a decided luxury in December.

If the flavor of the stuffing is definitely onion, squash should be the vegetable. Do not repeat flavors. It makes a meal monotonous and uninteresting.

The salad should be a simple green salad served with French dressing. Mashed squash, creamed onions, buttered turnips or parsnips are quite as acceptable as a more elaborately served vegetable. But if you would "paint the lily" here are some means of doing it that will not necessitate a lot of fussing at the last minute.

**ONIONS AU GRATIN**  
Twelve medium sized onions, 2 tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons flour, 1-2 cups water, salt and pepper, bread crumbs, grated cheese.

Peel onions and let stand in cold salted water half an hour. Cut in quarter-inch slices. Parboil five minutes in water to cover. Drain and pour over cold water. Drain.

Put in a well-buttered baking dish, sprinkle with salt and pepper and pour over the sauce made by melting the butter, stirring in the flour and gradually adding the water, stirring constantly.

Bake in a moderate oven half an hour. Then cover with bits of butter and sprinkle with grated cheese. Return to oven half an hour. Increase heat the last 10 minutes to brown crumbs.

**PARSNIP FRITTERS**  
Eight parsnips, 1-2 teaspoons butter, 1-2 teaspoons sugar, 1-2 cup salt, 1-4 teaspoon pepper, 1-2 cup cracker crumbs, 1 egg.

Wash and boil parsnips till tender. Plunge into cold water and slip skins. Mash and add cracker crumbs, melted butter, sugar, salt and pepper.

Mix thoroughly and add egg well beaten. Shape in little flat cakes, roll in flour and fry in a spider to a golden brown. Use 1/2 butter and 1/2 salt for fry and as little as possible to keep from burning.

**TURNIP CROQUETTES**  
Eight turnips, 2 potatoes, salt and pepper, 2 eggs, bread crumbs.

Wash and pare turnips. Cut in quarters and steam until tender. Mash and let drain thru a cheesecloth in a colander. Add the potatoes boiled and mashed.

Season with salt and pepper and add the yolks of the eggs slightly beaten. Let cool and shape into small balls. Roll in fine crumbs, dip in the whites of the eggs slightly beaten. Roll again in crumbs and fry in deep hot fat.

Drain in brown paper. These may be prepared early in the morning and put in a cold place till ready to fry.

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## SUSIE SMART SAYS

Dear Miss Smart: I always got along with my wife. We were very happy. My salary was fairly large and I was able to provide for her properly and give her everything she wanted. Her parents came between us not so long ago. Now my wife has left me. She has been influenced by her parents, because they never did approve of our marriage. They were always anxious for her to marry an old friend of the family who had money. Is there anything I can do to make them pay for this by bringing action against them? O. E. O.

YOUR situation is a most exasperating one but I urge you not to take any action against your wife's parents. It would not be advisable. Have some manhood yourself, the your wife's parents have apparently very little strength of character.

Have you taken into consideration that no money could recompense you for the breaking up of your home? If you should take this matter into court and try to secure damages from your wife's parents you would probably estrange her further.

Instead of putting your future in the hands of the law, try to do everything to bring about a reconciliation with your wife as well as with her parents. If you are a real man with principles which are above reproach, you will win. You should be willing to make many sacrifices and concessions rather than to permit this separation to become permanent.

Dear Miss Smart: (1) We are two girls of 17 and are engaged to be married next summer. Are we too young to think about it? (2) Could you give me a good remedy to take plagues from the face? (3) We are interested in the law and would like to know if you would tell us to whom to write for information.

TWO ABSENT-MINDED PAIRS  
(1) Perhaps not too young to think about it. However, the average girl of 17 has not had sufficient experience and training to become married. (2) See above letter for this information. (3) You might write to either Biograph, 807 E. 17th-st., New York or Fox, 10th-av., 55th and 56th-sts., New York.

## LETTERS TO LOVERS

By WINONA WILCOX

"Love" for lack of a fitting word is put to many sad uses. Sometimes it stands for passion, sometimes for infatuation. Just what it signifies when applied to the common variety of vacation flirtation is pretty hard to say.

Too often it has a serious meaning for the girl involved and something quite different for the man.

How a love affair that passed as quickly as a summer shadow can spoil life for an ambitious girl is told naively by the sufferer.

"While spending the summer at a mountain hotel I met a fascinating man in an artist. From the first he was devoted to me. When we agreed to correspond as plighted lovers.

"I notified him of my safe arrival home and added 'that was in my heart to say I received no reply. A month later I wrote again I never have heard from the man who had vowed a hundred times that he adored me.

"In the 'Letters to Lovers' I have read about 'sublimation' or how to change disappointed or hopeless love into work. Now I find that I cannot put my mind upon any subject other than the man I love and the hours we spent together.

"I am a highly trained singer but I am afraid my nervousness will ruin my voice. When I go upon the stage before an audience I look for the one man until the spotlight blinds me.

"I do not sleep. I do not enjoy the society of other men. My life is wrecked unless I can learn to 'sublimate' as you suggest."

"Probably the young woman is not exaggerating an impending tragedy. Doubtless the emotion, which for the man was only pastime, is actually ruining her singing voice. The physical reactions from emotional distresses are often terrible.

But isn't the wrecking of her career too big a price to pay for a summer affair with a man who sneaks love—and runs away?

This girl's case consists in a better understanding of her value, not to herself, not to any man, but to the community.

Her art provides many persons with pleasure, therefore she ought to save it from destruction. She ought to cherish it, and continue to devote it to the entertainment of audiences.

Her misery comes from turning her love force inward. Her cure will be assured when she switches her thwarted emotions into an outward channel.

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DATES—Arabian, new stock, 14 oz. pkg.	20c	Chocolate Covered Mints, per lb.	5c
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FIGS—Smyna, 8 1/2 oz. jar	25c	RAISINS, Seeded, fancy Del Monte, 15 oz. pkg.	25c
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Karo Syrup, white, 5 lb. can	33c	Mustard, gallon jug	\$1.15
Karo Syrup, dark, 5 lb. can	28c	Sardines, can	5c
Mackerel, large	25c	Salmon, 2 cans	25c
Apple Butter, 2 lbs.	25c	Milk, large, 2 cans	25c
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Jelly, 1 glass	10c	Hominy, 2 cans	25c
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Dill Pickles, large, 6 for	25c	Eggs, dozen	45c
Sour Pickles, large, 6 for	25c	Raspberries, gallon	\$1.35
Cocoa, 2 lbs.	25c	Blackberries, gal. can	\$1.00
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Pale Peaches, can	25c	Apricots, gal. can	75c
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Sugar, 10 lbs.	58c	Mixed Nuts, lb.	25c
Sugar, 25 lbs.	\$1.45	English Walnuts, lb.	40c
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## IRISH SPLIT MAY KILL PEACE PLAN

Outcome of Situation Now Impossible to Predict

DEVALERA'S BACKING STRONG

Treaty, However, Expected to Finally Win Out

LONDON — (By Associated Press) — The repudiation of the agreement reached between the British and Irish plenipotentiaries for the establishment of the Irish free state and the resultant split in the Dail Eireann cabinet overshadowed all other developments in the Irish situation today.

The receipt of this news immediately raised two questions, "what will be the outcome of the division among the Irish leaders as affecting the decision of the Dail Eireann upon the agreement?"

"What effect will the situation in south Ireland have upon the British government's attitude and the opening of the imperial parliament for consideration of the agreement?"

PARLIAMENT PLANS  
The best opinion is that the split among the Dail leaders will not affect the plans for the opening of parliament.

The agreement was made between the British government and plenipotentiaries representing the Dail Eireann and it was placed before the house of commons and the house of lords in the king's speech.

Then after Prime Minister Lloyd George in the lower house and Lord Birkenhead in the upper chamber have explained and supported the agreement, a brief adjournment will be taken to await the vote of the Dail Eireann which meets the same day — next Wednesday.

The sessions of the Dail are considered here as likely to be prolonged and lively for it is composed of young men with strong views which they are in the habit of expressing with force.

In his statement last night declaring himself against the terms, Eamon De Valera, republican leader, disclosed that his attitude was supported by two members of his cabinet, Austin Stack and Charles Burgess. The other cabinet members are said to have remained firm in favor of the treaty. This split, with the odds favoring republicanism, is pointed out here as significant of the possible lineup in the Dail Eireann itself when the time for action arrives.

POSSIBLE OUTCOME  
The outcome seems at this distance impossible to predict. Although there were reports before the signing of the treaty last summer that differences of opinion existed between Mr. De Valera and some of his chief supporters, such as Arthur Griffith, no such differences if there were any, have ever been expressed in public and opinion on how the rank and file voted is, for the most part, a mere guess work.

Mr. De Valera, however, will have strong supporters for the rejection of the agreement and for the demand for an Irish republic from Austin Stack, Charles Burgess, Desmond Fitzgerald, Liam Mellows, Countess Markiewicz and all the out-and-out republicans, it is believed. Government circles in London, however, remain convinced that Griffith, Arthur Collins and their supporters will win the day, as it is felt that the moderates will follow this group.

The split in the Dail cabinet will not interfere in the release of the prisoners in the Irish internment camps and other places of confinement to whom amnesty was extended by the king's procla-

mation, according to the Irish office. Those from the Ballykinler camp will be given their liberty today and others of the interned men will likewise be set free immediately. It is pointed out here that many of these men are classed as extremists but the cordial reception which the first of those released gave to the agreement has caused hope in the official world that the released men for the most part will prove supporters of Collins and Griffith.

DUBLIN SURPRISED  
DUBLIN — (By Associated Press) — The extent to which Dublin was surprised by Eamon De Valera's statement of last night in opposition to the terms of the Irish agreement cannot easily be exaggerated. Although his sentiments were generally known, it was not believed he would openly differ at the last moment with the decisions of the Sinn Fein's accredited plenipotentiaries.

In political quarters here the general feeling today seemed to be that the Dail Eireann at its meeting next Wednesday would support Arthur Griffith and Michael Collins, who stood by their signatures of the agreement against all the arguments of the opposition, and it is stated that if plenipotentiaries were again needed in London the same men would go again.

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The above named are grandchildren of the Scots-Canadian Liberal leader, William Lyon MacKenzie, who headed the Canadian rebellion, an outstanding feature of the history of that country.

Election of King in the success of the Liberals and the defeat of the Meighen government which has been in control, is gratifying to the members of the MacKenzie family here. The name of MacKenzie has been associated with the development of the British territory to the north of the United States.

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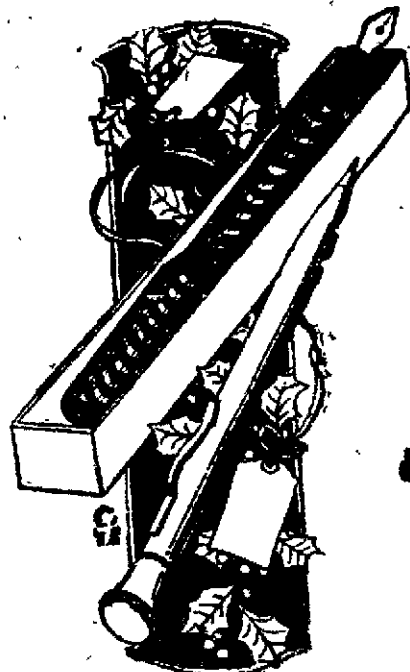
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# The Thompson Drug Stores

## Specials for Saturday in Drugs, Patents and Toilet Goods at Thompson's 3 Stores

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50c Sempie Jovenay 30c	Nature's Remedy 10c-30c-70c
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50c Dermiva Viva 30c	\$1.25 Evans Triple Phos-phates 90c
\$1.00 Mavis Toilet Water 87c	\$1.15 Moore's Emerald Oil 87c
35c Williams' Shaving Cream or Stick 20c	50c White Pine Cough Syrup 30c
25c Johnson's Baby Tale 10c	\$1.00 Bottle 5 gr. Genuine Aspirin Tablets 60c
50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste 30c	\$1.25 Carey's Medic Yeast Tablets 90c
\$1.50 Three Flowers Toilet Water 1.30	75c Rheuma 60c
60c Aubrey Sisters' Beautifier 40c	25c Laxative 10c
\$1.25 Red Hot Water Bottle, 2 quart 80c	\$1.25 Dr. Leonard's Hem-Roid 95c
\$2.00 Combination Bottle and Syringe, complete 1.30	Cy-Ko (a tonic) 1.00
\$2.50 No-Seam Combination 1.95	50c Drake's Croup Remedy 30c
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\$1.75 2 Qt. Red Fountain Syringe 1.20	Have-a-Cup Coffee, Saturday 20c
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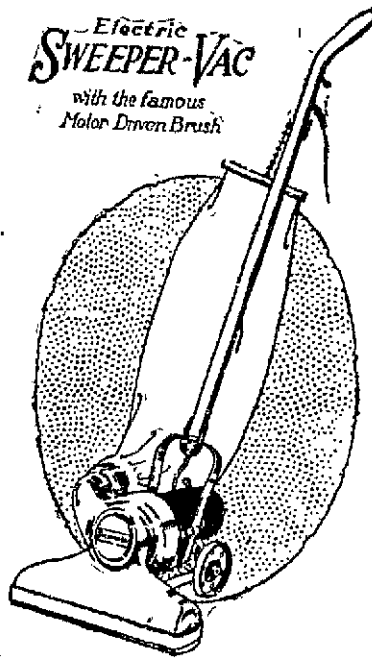
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Good rugs are backed with glue-sizing to keep them from wrinkling or buckling on the floor and to fasten the nap. Scientific cleaning avoids cracking off this glue-sizing through picking up the rug or beating it over a clothes line.

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Smoking Jackets	\$5.75, 6.75, \$7.35, \$11.75, \$12.75, \$17.75
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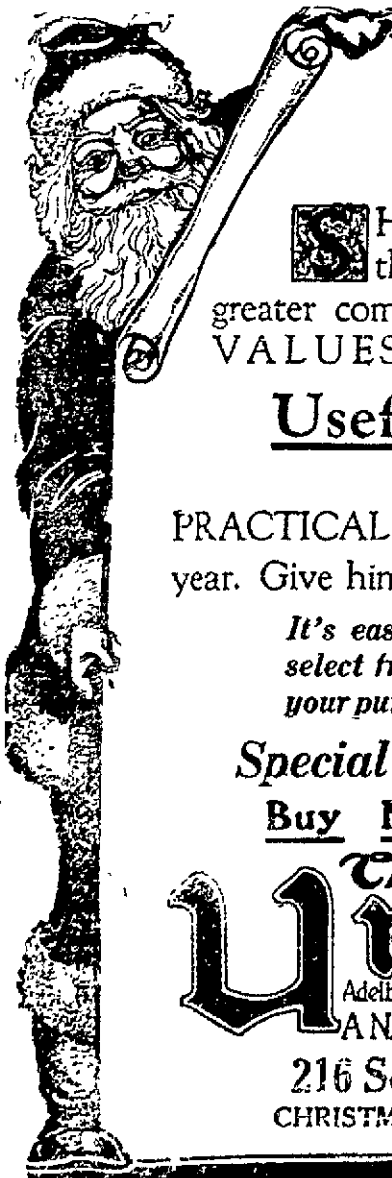
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## NEAR FIST FIGHT IN HANGING PROBE

Walso Threatens to Slap Army Officer's Face

WASHINGTON — (By Associated Press) — The meeting of the senate committee investigating charges by Senator Watson, Democrat, Georgia, that soldiers had been illegally hanged in France, almost broke up in a row today after Senator Watson had threatened to slap the face of an army officer sitting in the audience.

Chairman Brandegee of the committee, taking hold of an awkward situation, declared that no person in the room should be insulted. This statement was made after Senator Watson walked up close to Major George D. Cochran and, shaking his finger in his face, exclaimed, "for two pennies I would slap your face."

"If he looks at me again that way, I will slap his jaws," the senator declared, adding that he would not remain with the committee to be "bulldozed" by this "bull-jawed brute."

"Take your seat, Senator Watson,"

Senator Brandegee demanded. "I'll retire first," he replied. "Take your seat or retire," the chairman said.

Chairman Brandegee called the sergeant-at-arms and Senator Watson sat down. Then turning to the Georgia senator the chairman asked if he wanted the army officers present, including Walter E. Bethel, General Pershing's judge advocate in France, to retire.

"Yes," said Senator Watson. "Well, get out," said the chairman and the officers retired.

Senator Shields, Democrat, Tennessee, presided at the opening of the session, but retired later as Mr. Brandegee arrived and took the chair. Soon after there was an exchange between Mr. Brandegee and Mr. Watson regarding certain conversations relating to procedure and the presence of army officers while the Georgia senator was present in the audience. The exchange became very heated and Senator Watson shouted:

"I am not afraid of you."

"Nor I of you," Chairman Brandegee replied, banging the table.

The chairman went on to say that there had been no disposition in the minds of the committee to be unfair to Mr. Watson and that it was not right for him to impugn the committee's motives.

"You ought to submit your evidence and let us decide," said the chairman. "Then the senate can determine whether our findings are proper."

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Candy

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Parker Fountain Pen  
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Very large, extra heavy weight Turkish towels with colored borders, 98c.

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Pure linen napkins, size 22x22 inches, all the usual patterns, \$9.00.

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Size 72x72 inches, pure Irish linen, for round or square tables, \$9.50.

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Standard weight plain gray cotton blankets with stripe borders, size 64x80 inches. Long, warm nap. Very specially priced

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Full size Wardrobe Trunk ..... \$30.00  
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Boys' heavy cashmere knickers, dark striped patterns, sizes 6 to 16 years, \$1.49.

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Boys' warm knit sweater coats, dark red with large collar, sizes 28 to 34, \$2.49.

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Boys' warm school blouses, made of gray outing flannel, 59c.

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Boys' silk four-in-hand ties, nice assortment patterns, in all colors, 19c.  
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Children's Bath Robes in 4 to 16 year sizes, Indian designs in bright colors, \$2.98.

APRONS  
Girls' black satteen overall aprons, trimmed with flowered cretonne, \$1.49.

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Girls' percale slipover aprons in light or dark colors, sizes 6 to 16 years, 98c.

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WHAT ALLIANCE IS MADE?

Question Causing Outsiders Considerable Speculation Now

(BY FRANK H. SIMONDS)  
WASHINGTON (Special)  
When is an alliance not an alliance?

When is it Quadruple Entente? If you will ask this question slowly and answer it rapidly you will approximately arrive at the situation as Washington is saying it today. But saying, to be sure, is not believing. What is most disturbing about the present situation is not that there is any general belief that Mr. Hughes, with Mr. Harding's consent, has committed the United States to some new form of an old entente, but that for the first time the opportunity for others to speak for America has arrived and been seized upon.

Some time last week some kind of a tentative bargain or agreement or proposal was passed upon in some fashion by those whom we, following the not wholly unhappy precedent of Paris call the "Big Three." As to the existence of this statement there is general agreement. Now, since that time this experiment, this trial balloon, this scrap of paper, the term does not say, has taken on very definite and tangible shape in the general discussion, outside of the conference, AGREEMENT IS SECRET.

One may say, with a degree of authority which, as the current phrase has it, "one is not permitted to disclose," that this agreement is now what London and Tokio affirm, not what natives of London and Tokio, sojourning in Washington declare, that it is not an alliance, not a commitment, above all that it is not "an entangling alliance." What is not possible to say now on any American authority is, exactly or approximately what the thing is. In other words, and it seems to me the fact is all important, American diplomacy, which before the conference, while conceding that it could not properly undertake to disclose the positions of foreign governments in the session, asserted that it could and would keep the American people in touch with the American policy and purpose, has temporarily renounced this course and Mr. Hughes has adopted in Washington the course which Mr. Wilson followed with such fatality in Paris.

The result has been simple. We have had American policy interpreted in precisely the terms which would best satisfy certain European nations and would be most calculated to arouse American protest and above all to awaken protest on Capitol Hill. No thoughtful person believes that there has been undertaken any new treaty of alliance, yet everyone has now to confront definite and specific statements that the United States, in return for certain specific advantages, such as the acceptance of the naval ratio, will join with Japan, Britain and perhaps France, in guaranteeing certain things, such as the integrity of China, liberally interpreted, to be sure.

Now, accepting the fact that there has been an agreement of sorts, it is still totally outside the known purposes of the President and the Secretary of State that any agreement should commit the United States to anything beyond the recognition of the rights of others and the promise to respect these rights plus the pledge to play fair in the matter of naval restriction and, in the matter of Pacific Island fortifications, to observe a holiday without end.

Four powers, the United States, Great Britain, Japan and France could each affirm such a purpose, the Congress of the United States might be expected to assent to such a proclamation of policy, but this is something quite different from a promise to join in a Quadruple Entente, which might replace the existing Anglo-Japanese Alliance and undertake the regulation of the Pacific or the defense of China. It is possible for the United States to sign the pledge, but it is both impossible and unlikely that the United States should undertake to enforce prohibition, political not spiritual, it is understood, beyond its own territory.

It is conceivable, as is strenuously insisted upon, that one detail in the agreement, Article III, some asset with amping explicitness, notes that the Anglo-Japanese Alliance, no longer having a reason for existence in view or the new arrangement, automatically and by common consent disappears. Everyone knows that the Washington Conference will be regarded in this country as having fallen short of complete success if the Alliance does not disappear, but what is disquieting is the suggestion that this disappearance is paid for in Articles I and II.

SECRECY IS DEPLORED  
Beyond all else, what seems to me the really disturbing fact in the existing situation is that the Conference has relapsed into such a profound secrecy and has hidden itself in such impenetrable mystery that there is at least an excuse for the publication of rumors and reports which tend very gravely to discredit the whole affair by rousing prejudice and exciting popular distrust. Tonight, for the first time since the Conference opened there is a very widespread feeling in American

quarters that what happened in Paris is occurring again in Washington, that the only available explanations of American policy which at all satisfy even the surface necessities must be sought and can be found only outside of American quarters.

And this is precisely the thing which, before the Conference met was promised should not happen. We all know within fairly accurate limits what was and is British policy. Japan conceals her hand, but she does not actually hide her objectives. France has no concealed purposes, and Italy would explain to anyone what was in her mind, if everyone was not so busy. But the silence which enveloped American policy at Paris has settled over American policy in Washington and for better or for worse, there is no Colonel House to volunteer explanations which, if they did not explain in Paris, at least obliged. (Copyright, 1911)

## FINAL FIGURES IN RED CROSS DRIVE INCOMPLETE

Complete figures on the Red Cross Roll Call drive had not been compiled Friday and indications are that no report will be made until early next week.

Tabulations from Allen-co show that 210 new member ships and Delphos 60. No personal solicitation was made in either place. Spencerville workers were still compiling figures on the outcome of the campaign there, Friday.

Indications in Lima are that the Roll Call has been more successful than expected. More contributing members have been numbered this year than in several years past, it is declared.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Orman Lee Talmage 21 truck driver Harrod House and Miss Eva Pauline Ramsey, 17, of 650 Harrison-av.

## RENTALS DECREASE AS VACANT FLATS, HOUSES INCREASE IN NUMBER

Advertisements of houses, flats and apartments for rent, in the classified section of The Lima News, tells the story of reduction of rents and the increase of available vacant property in the past 12 months. More houses and flats are being advertised for rent today than was the case one year ago, it was stated by realtors Friday. Investigation shows that rentals are slightly lower.

## HILLSIDE GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET

718 E. HIGH ST. PHONE, MAIN 3342  
10 LBS. GRANULATED SUGAR, with \$3.00 Order .55c

Milk, large can (any kind) .10c	Lima or Marfat Beans, lb. .10c
Milk, small can (any kind) .05c	Toilet Paper, 3 large or 6 small rolls .25c
Corn, 1 can .10c	Navy Beans, 5 lbs. .80c
Munso Evaporated Sweet Corn .10c	Pineapple, 3 cans .81.00
Monarch Pork & Beans .10c	Peaches, 3 cans .81.00
Van Camp's Tomato Soup .10c	Apricots, 3 cans .81.00
3 cans .25c	Potatoes, per bu. .81.85
Early June Peas, per can .15c	Potatoes, per pk. .35c
2 cans .25c	
Mammy's Kidney Beans, 2 cans .25c	
Salmon, tall pink, per can .25c	
2 cans .25c	
Sardines, 2 large cans .25c	
Sardines, in oil, per can .5c	
Tip Top Pop Corn, 2 pkgs. .25c	
Macaroni, Spaghetti and Noodles, 3 pkgs. .25c	
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 2 pkgs. .25c	
Post Toasties, 2 pkgs. .25c	
Shredded Wheat, per pkg. .25c	
2 packages .25c	
Roiled Oats, per pkg. .14c	
Scrap Tobacco (any kind) 3 pkgs. .25c	
Raisins, Seeded or Seedless, 1 lb. pkg. .25c	
2 cans .25c	
Curraas, per pkg. .25c	
Prunes, 15c per lb.; 2 lbs. .25c	
P. W. Crackers, 2 lbs. .25c	
Farm House Coffee, per lb. .25c	
Hillside Special Coffee, lb. .25c	
Old Reliable, lb. .25c	
Bulk Coffee, per lb. .20c	
2 lbs. .35c	
P & G. or Star Soap, 10 bars .60c	
Flake White or Classic Soap, 10 bars .48c	
Luna or Levox Soap, 10 bars .48c	
	OYSTERS
Cranberries .25c	Sweet Potatoes .25c
Celery .25c	Fancy Apples .25c
English Walnuts .25c	Mixed Nuts .25c
	Pimentos .25c
	Cream Cheese .25c
	Peanut Butter .25c
	Pickles, Dill, Sweet and Sour .25c
	Chickens, Young and Old .25c
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## Potter's Market

We will take orders Saturday for Potatoes and Apples to be delivered next week at following low prices:

2 1/2 Bushel Sack Fancy Michigan Potatoes .31.15
1 Bushel Fancy Michigan Potatoes .13.30
Fancy Apples, per box .25.50

THE FOLLOWING MEAT PRICES ARE FOR SATURDAY AND ALL NEXT WEEK

Young Pig Pork Shoulders, lb. .12 1/2c	Veal Stew, lb. .12 1/2c
Lean Fresh Side Pork, lb. .16c	Weiners & Bologna, lb. .20c
Fresh Pig Hams, lb. .18c	Fresh Oysters, quart .50c
Fresh Pigs Feet, dozen .35c	Plenty Chickens, alive or dressed. .50c
Fresh Bulk Sausage, lb. .15c	5 lbs. Granulated Sugar .24c
Fresh Pork Brains, lb. .17c	(With order \$1.50 or over)
Fresh Pork Hearts, lb. .9c	5 Bars Flake White Soap .27c
Sliced Liver, lb. .7c	3 Boxes Climaleone .25c
Rib or Brisket Boiling Beef, lb. .7c	5 pkgs. Macaroni or Spaghetti .25c
Chuck Roasts, good young beef, lb. .12 1/2c	3 Large Rolls Toilet Paper .25c
Pot Roasts, lb. .10c	2 Large Cans Milk .25c
Ground Beef, fresh, lb. .12 1/2c	2 Large Cans Hominy .22c
Good Tender Steak, lb. .18c	3 Large Cans Apricots .80c
Veal Shoulder Roasts, lb. .22c	3 Large Cans Pineapple .1.00
Veal Chops, lb. .25c to 28c	1 lb. Package Currants .25c
Veal Ground for Loaf, lb. .25c	Dates, pkg. .15c
	2 Cans Sweet Corn .25c
	2 Cans Fancy Tomatoes .25c


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2 Lbs. Good Luck .53c	Van Camp's Hominy, 2 for 25c
Fresh Ground Peanut Butter .15c	Van Camp's Pumpkin, 2 for 25c
Country Apple Butter, lb. .15c	Good Standard Corn, 12c; Dozen \$1.35
Fine Wisconsin Cream Cheese .30c	Fancy Sweet Corn, 15c; Dozen \$1.60
P. W. Crackers, fresh daily, 2 lbs. for 25c	Early June Peas, 2 for 25c; dozen \$1.40
24 oz. Loaf Best Bread .10c	Fancy Peas, 15c; Dozen \$1.90
Large Post Toasties, pkg. .15c	Solid Pack Tomatoes, 2 for 25c
Shredded Wheat, pkg. .15c	Fancy Sliced Pineapple .29c
Mother's Oats, 2 pkgs for 25c	Monarch Peaches or Pineapple 39c

**10 Lbs. New Buckwheat Flour .45c**

5 lbs. Karo Syrup .23c	Little Crow Pancake Flour, 2 for 25c
Pure Clover Honey, tall jar .30c	Best Rolled Oats, 4 lbs. for 25c
Foulds Macaroni or Spaghetti .7c	Best Spaghetti, 2 lbs. for 25c
Eagle Milk—per can .20c	Our Breakfast Coffee .25c
Crisco—per can .20c	Fancy Apples—box \$2.50
Large section Honey .25c	Baldwin Apples, lb. 8c
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Pork Steak lb. 25c	Picnic Hams lb. 15c
Dicker's Bologna and Weiners, lb. 20c	Lean Bacon, 5 lbs. \$1.00
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## BARTHLEMESS SIMPLE SWAIN IN FIRST PICTURE

The most interesting thing about Richard Barthelmess' first starring picture is that he didn't pomade his hair, parade in full dress and smash a few hearts. Barthelmess knows how to wear "son and fish." His manners are country. He is a fascinating womanizer. Thus one would expect that his first starring picture would present him as a social lion, leaving a trail of broken hearts as he swept on from conquest to conquest.

But no. "Tol'able David," by Joseph Herpesheimer, was chosen as the vehicle. That is a simple story of simple folk of the Virginia West Virginia mountains.

David was ready to assume a man's place in the world. He wanted the responsibility and recognition

that goes to a man of affairs, no matter how trivial the affairs. His brother, his father and his mother never gave full recognition to anything he did. He was only "jes' tol'able."

Then the world crashed down upon the happy family. The older brother was permanently crippled by one of three rough characters who had moved into the neighborhood. The father, going to avenge his son, fell dead. Upon the young shoulders of David devolved the responsibilities of the head of the house.

"Tol'able David" was filmed in the locale of the story. It will represent to some city dwellers types and styles of architecture heretofore unknown to them.

## Here's Wally Again—Fit as Ever

As the title, "The Hell Diggers," would indicate, the picture is a very obstreperous one. It is a picture in which nearly everyone, figuratively speaking, hops up and demands to be heard.

The so-called "hell-diggers" are a company who, with huge dredges, seek gold at the expense of the beautiful farming country. The horrible machines plough their way thru the land, leaving a path that is arid and scab.

But finally the farmers rise up and refuse to sell the company any more of their land.

Where does Wallace Reid come in? Well, in many, many places. First we see him as the manager for the company. However he loves the daughter of one of the seething farmers, so he gets busy and invents a machine which will result while

it explores.

Young Freddy is an honest chap, and when one of the bosses suggests a plan whereby they can put something over on the unsuspecting farmers, he resigns and goes over to the other faction. They raise money to build one of the dredges. The crooked member of the gold company blows it up.

Follows, of course, a lot of various kinds of excitement, but the finale sees peace and happiness and the amalgamation of the farmers' company and the gold concern. "The Hell Diggers" is well staged, acted and directed. Both Mr. Reid and Miss Lois Wilson, the leading lady, give a splendid performance. That, of course, is to be expected.

"The Hell Digger" is appearing again today and Saturday at the Faurot Opera House.

## You Like Mr. Tearle? See "The Fighter"

HERE'S a picture that gives to the screen's most famous caveman a role that is quite different from anything he has yet undertaken. You see, ever since the Schenck organization made a star out of him, he hasn't been having the very best vehicles for some reason or other. In "The Fighter" he portrays the part of a man, who, against overwhelming odds, beats the other fellow to it and becomes famous.

"The Fighter" was written by Albert Payson Terhune, which insures its popularity. It lays out the story of a man, who from boyhood had been forced to fight and fight to get ahead in the world. But he finally attained the position of president of the road on which he was once an engineer. Conquering factors, so-called aristocratic gentlemen, concoct a scheme to

lift Calce Colover from his pinnacle of fame. They will begin by ousting him from their club. But Calce, remember, is a fighter, and what he tells that clan of self-righteous humbugs is a plenty. He does NOT leave the club.

And then there's a girl, Miss Winifred Westover is her name, and she's a young, smiling, dimpling ingenue whose evident helplessness is all contrasted against the sturdy Mr. Tearle. (She's the girl they say old Bill Hart married just the other day.)

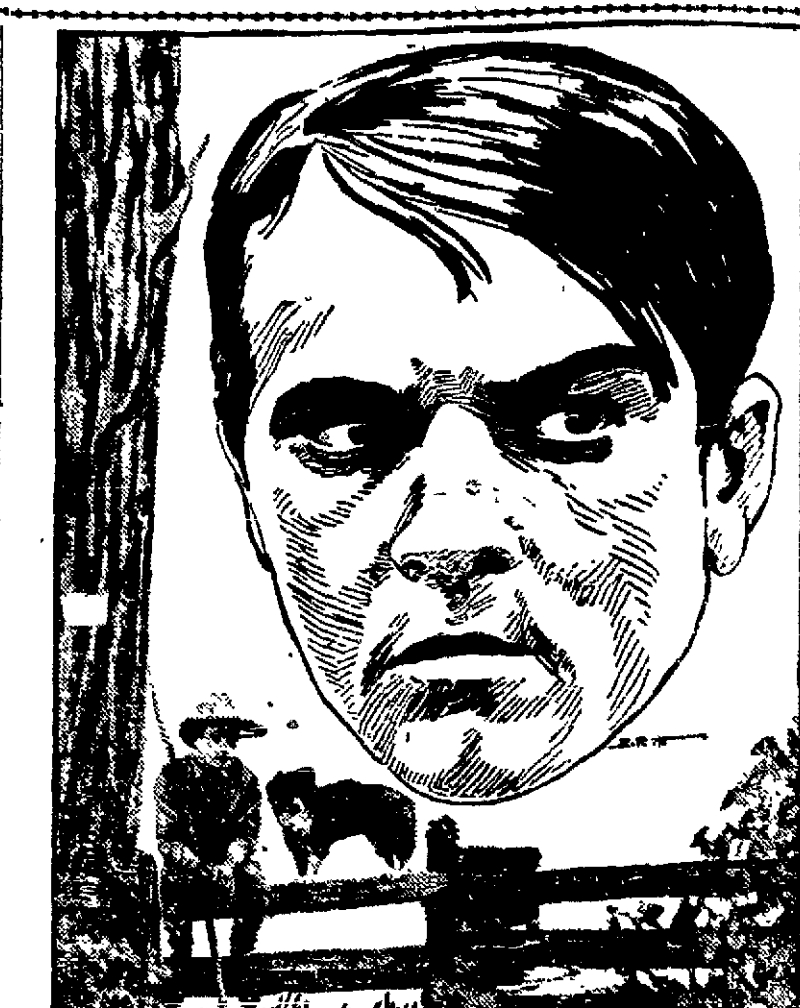
It's hardly the thing to do to tell you all the story. You've enough of it now to have an idea of the kind of story "The Fighter" is. It's a virile and red-blooded and if you have ever had the slightest liking for Conway Tearle, you'll enjoy this film immensely.

At the Lyric today and Saturday.

## Double Program at the Sigma

THE Sigma's bill today offers two excellent features, each of a widely diversified nature.

The feature picture, "Little Italy" and starring Miss Alice Brady, is one of the best releases Miss Brady



Richard Barthelmess as he appears in "Tol'able David," his first starring picture.

has given us. It is so Italian you can almost smell the garlic. Not in the land of sun and gondolas and vineyards is the action laid, but in Little Italy that haven in New York where the immigrant finds a place to colonize and carry on his old-world customs and styles.

The story is too lengthy to be here inscribed, but be assured that it furnishes heart interest a plenty. Miss Brady is charming as Rosa, and is convincing all the time. Norman Kerry, the hero, looks and acts decidedly Italian and has a beautiful curly mustache. George Fawcett is there, as always, but as an Italian papa Moreani he makes an excellent Anglo-Saxon.

So much for the feature. "Flashes of Action," the U. S. War Film is also showing at the Sigma. To me the pictures seem real and fascinating, but read what an ex-service man who saw the picture Thursday, has to say about it.

"It's one thing to take an active part in a great war, and it's another thing to sit on the side lines and see it, it's one thing to be weighted down with a pack, grenades, rifle and ammunition—to be pressed for

ward thru muck and slime, sometimes waist deep, and it's another thing to sit in a comfortable theatre chair and watch some other fellow do it.

"These are some of the impressions I gained after witnessing the U. S. Government's Official War Films 'Flashes of Action.'"

"The pictures took me back to the early days of the war. The embarkation scenes were very good and the views on the transport and destroyers were vivid reminders of the hazardous trip across.

"A scene that impressed me particularly was where elements of the 77th Division were seen advancing in the Argonne. Two men were noticed going to the rear. (Why they should be going to the rear, I don't know—unless they were medical corps men) suddenly, these men stopped. They heard that rushing whistling shell coming at them. They apparently were dazed for a second. Realizing the close proximity of the shell, they drop to the ground—but too late.

"The scenes of the artillery in action are so realistic one feels one can hear the roar of the guns and those pictures of the barrage at night intermingled by airplane sig-

nals are without question most realistic.

"The barrage laid down before the St. Mihiel drive was the most terrific during the war to that time. The sky was ablaze from exploding guns

and the horizon as far as I could see was lighted by bursting shells and rockets—more spectacular than anything my pen could describe. I believe every person in Livonia should see these pictures.

## "Sawing Thru a Woman" Unusual Offering

THE Orpheum theatre, in addition to its musical comedy program, presents as a special attraction, T. P. Silbit's original Keith sensation "Sawing Thru a Woman" in which Mr. Silbit seemingly places a woman on a table and saws her body in half. Gruesome, certainly. The effect is one of the most realistic and most mystifying acts ever shown at the Orpheum, and is creating a sensation.

The regular bill at the Orpheum has not been shortened in any way

to accommodate this extra feature. It is a separate and distinct attraction and in conjunction with Harvey D. Orr's company of Million Dollar Dolls in "Oh Helen" forms a most enjoyable week-end program.

The engagement of Mr. Silbit's feature is for the remainder of this week, both matinee and evening.

THEATRE DIRECTORY

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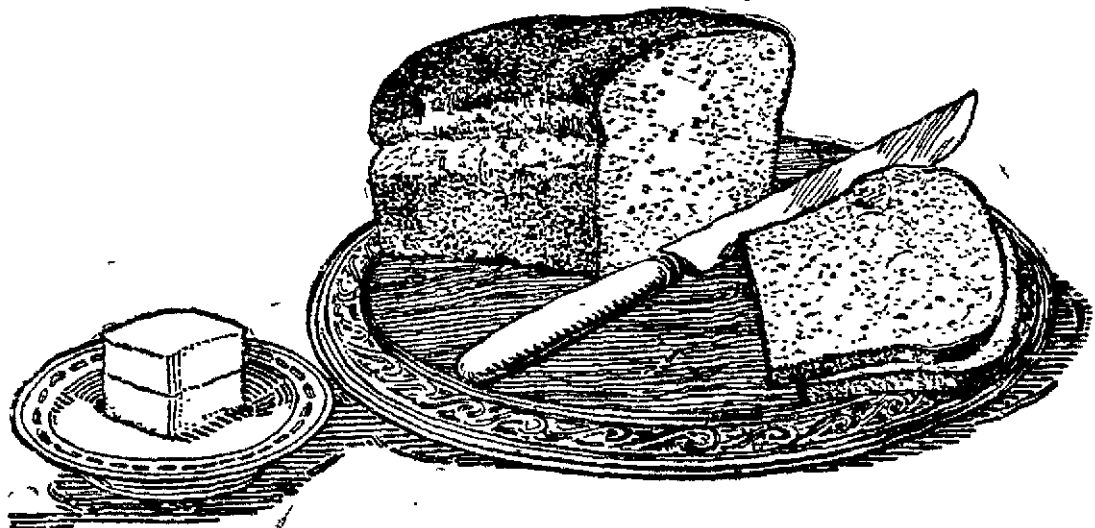
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(BY B. C. FORBES)

NEW YORK (Special) — At times one has to have faith in order to cling to optimism. In the early part of this year few could see any thing but clouds and storms ahead. Today optimism is gaining.

The events of this week alone have greatly increased confidence among the nation's business and financial leaders.

The settlement of the centuries-old British-Irish feud rolls away one of the very dark clouds which have been overhanging the world, fostering acute uneasiness in high places, for many months.

The relief felt in responsible quarters here is scarcely less than 'the relief which must be felt throughout Britain and the British Empire. The news excites little or no astonishment, as it has become so evident for some time that the British government would concede anything and everything so long as Ireland agreed to remain within the fold of the British empire.

The substantial advance in Sterling Exchange and in German marks is interpreted as foreshadowing important developments regarding the modification of the indemnity payments. The view almost universally held in financial circles here has been that Germany could not possibly maintain the stipulated payments and that insistence upon them would drive her into inevitable disaster, financially, industrially, socially and, ultimately, politically. Such a prospect was viewed with grave alarm in thinking circles. All talk of "stabilizing German exchange," was ridiculed so long as Germany continued to turn out paper marks at the rate of billions weekly, last week's statement revealed an expansion of no less than four and one-half billions of marks. Some are now entertained that a hope agreement will be reached which will enable Germany to shut off this deluge of paper money, reform and greatly increase her exports, import raw materials and otherwise get her house in order.

Any developments calculated to strengthen or confirm such hopes could have a most important influence here and throughout the whole financial world.

Large employers hail with deep satisfaction Chief Justice Taft's decision that only mild unobtrusive picketing may be indulged in by labor. Most capitalists feel that this attitude will be a relief to the workmen and will bring about a more harmonious and efficient working of the public and also of the great many workers who of late have not been altogether satisfied with leadership which led them into losing battles.

At no time has faith in the outcome of the Washington conference been greater than it is today, notwithstanding delays, intimations of friction, the gloomy forebodings of certain correspondents, etc. It is not until the highest plan for limiting partial armaments. Moreover, there is strong hope in influential circles that a comprehensive international pact will be drawn up covering Pacific and Far Eastern questions.

Then, of course, there has been President Harding's message to congress. Taken as a whole, it is regarded as sensible and helpful. Such matters as his tariff suggestions and the abolition of non-taxable bonds are calls forth varying degrees of commendation and criticisms. But the dominating feeling is that President Harding is measuring up to the requirements of his office better than many had expected and that he has as much widespread public support as he should be able to infuse needed energy in congress.

The make-up of the budget is accepted as a very distinct improvement as marking the dawn of saner handling of the nation's finances.

While happily, there have been no wild outbursts on the Stock Exchange the undertone through both the Stock and Bond markets has been unmistakably cheerful. The remarkable rise in Liberty issues has exercised national influence, and there is every justification for expecting trustworthy securities to do well in the coming year.

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## NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

(Reported by E. W. Wagner & Co., Citizens Building)

STOCKS—	Open	High	Low	2 P.M.
Am. Can.	32	32 1/2	31 1/2	32
Am. C. & P.	145	145	145	145
Am. H. & L.	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Am. Int. Corp.	39 1/2	40	39 1/2	39 1/2
Am. Lumber	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Am. Loco	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
Am. Steel	45	45 1/2	45	45
Am. Sugar	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Am. T. & T.	115 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2
Am. V. & P.	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Am. Wire	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Am. Zinc	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Atchafalpa	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Chandler	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Chas. & S.	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Chas. & S. E.	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Chas. & S. W.	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Chas. & S. Y.	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Col. & E.	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Consolidated	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Corn Prods.	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Cosden	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Cru. Steel	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
C. C. Sugar	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Erie R. R.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Fisk R. R.	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Gen. Asphalt	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Gen. Elec.	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2
Gen. Motors	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Goodrich	35	35	35	35
Insp. Corp.	39	39	39	39
Ind. Alcoh.	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Int. M. P.	15	15	15	15
Int. Nickel	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
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Gains and Losses Are Mixed—Close Is Steady

(Courtesy The Wheatley Co.)

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## WHEAT PRICES ON UPWARD MOVE

Foreign Demand Causes Advance—Market Closes Firm

WASHINGTON.—The welfare and health of six million people in Ohio, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Indiana and Maryland are dependent upon the federal government prohibiting the state of West Virginia from stopping the exportation of natural gas, Attorney General Price of Ohio, declared today in arguing before the supreme court the case which Ohio has brought to enjoin West Virginia from regulating thru a commission the gas supply which may be transported outside the state.

G. M. Hoffheimer, counsel for West Virginia, replying to the case presented yesterday in behalf of Pennsylvania by Attorney General Ailer and A. Leo Weil, of counsel for that state, described conditions in West Virginia during the peak of the demand for natural gas. State institutions including schools, he said, had to be closed last winter while large flows of the gas produced in the state was being piped into neighboring states, much of it for industrial uses.

CHICAGO.—Gossip that foreigners were bidding more freely for United States wheat tended today to strengthen the wheat market during the early trading. Pit demand, however, lacked volume. Upturns in price led to profit-taking on the part of holders, and caused a decline. Initial quotations, which varied from 1.14 to 1.14 1/4, and July 1.03 1/4 to 1.03 1/2, were followed by moderate gains all around and then by setbacks to below yesterday's finish.

Corn and oats paralleled the action of wheat. After opening a shade off to 1-2c higher, May 54 to 54 1/2, the corn market hardened a little more but later showed slight losses. Oats started at 1-8 decline to a like advance, May 38 3/8 to 38 1/2, and then became easier for all deliveries.

Higher quotations on hogs gave firmness to pork. Prices closed firm, 1/2 to 1 1/4 net higher, May 1.15 to 1.15 1/2 and July 1.03 1/4 to 1.03 1/2.

The corn close was firm, 3/4 net lower to a shade advance with May 54 1/2 to 54 1/2.

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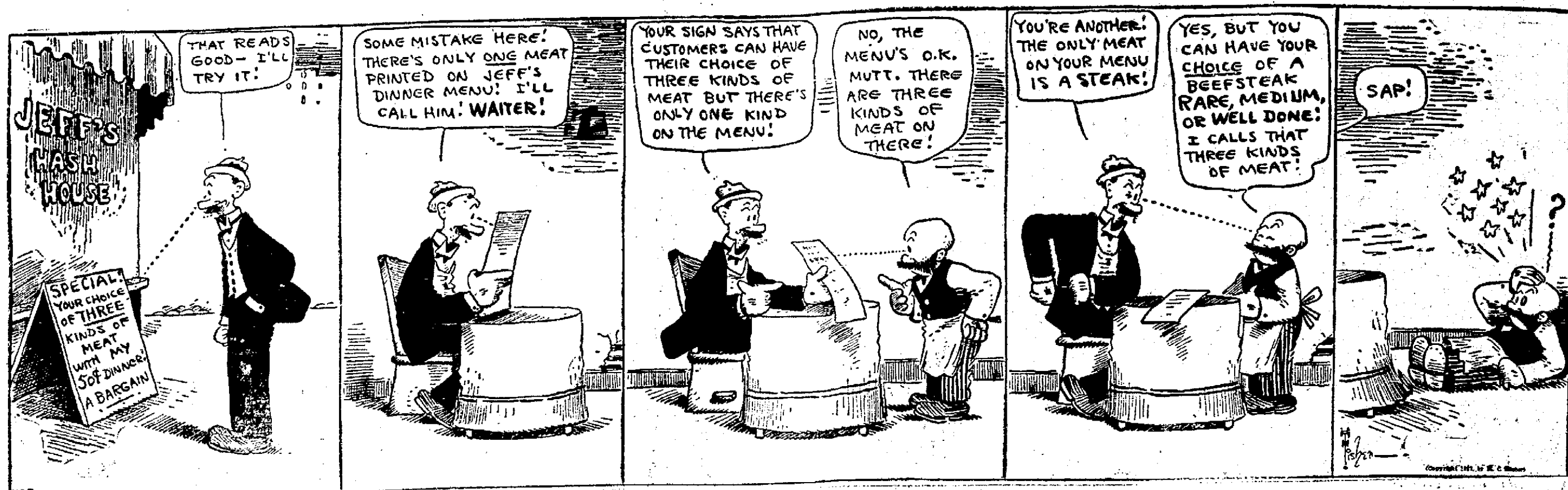
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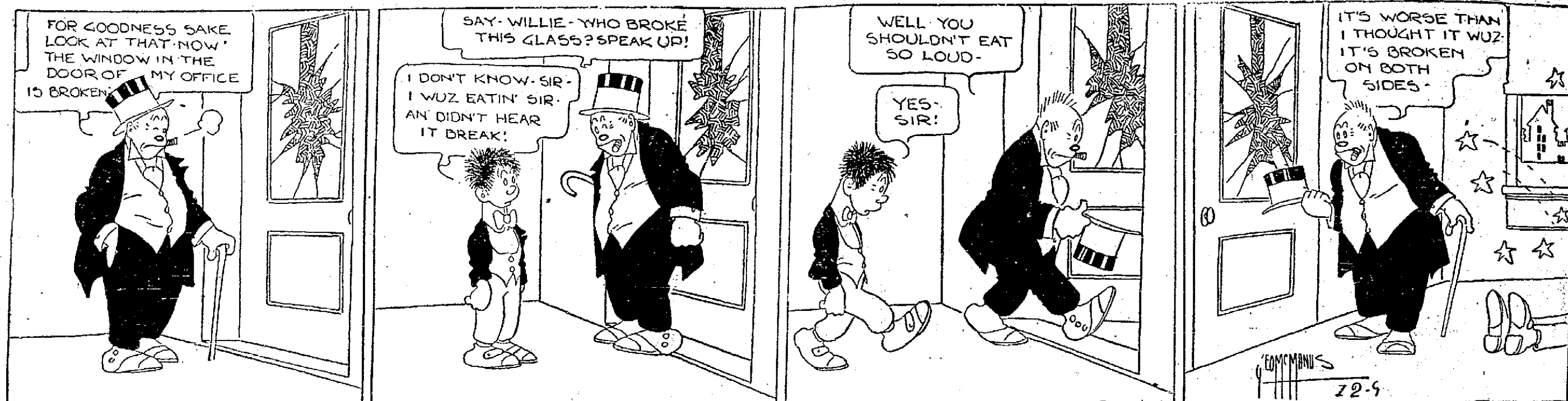
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## SHORT SHAVINGS

Roy Bowersock, the "Old Cap Collier" of Allen-co protective forces, was left at home to wash dishes while his wife went to the movies. "I didn't have much luck," he reports. "I think it was because I put buckwheat flour in the water by mistake for washing powder."

Bob Mitchell, fastest student at Central Hl, awoke in the middle of the night recently, thinking he heard phonograph music. "It wasn't that," he says. "My cot bed turned over with me and pitched me out on my nose."

Al Stolzenbach of insurance fame bought a brand new derby a few days ago. That night he sported the new sky-piece to church. On the way home, he stopped at the Williams & Davis mortuary. There

friends began to "pan" the new lid. Next day he exchanged it for a different shape. Haberdasher who sold the hat has refused further exchanges and sent a note of warning to all critics.

Jimmy Howell, printer, formerly of Waynesfield, started to learn to play a saxophone in his flat. Neighbors complained. The landlord said he must quit playing or move. "But they say one who gets a taste for saxophone playing can't quit," reports a friend of Howell. "He moved."

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—Books  
—Bill Folds  
—Hot Water Bottles

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—Bagster Bibles  
—Thermos Bottles  
—Perfumes  
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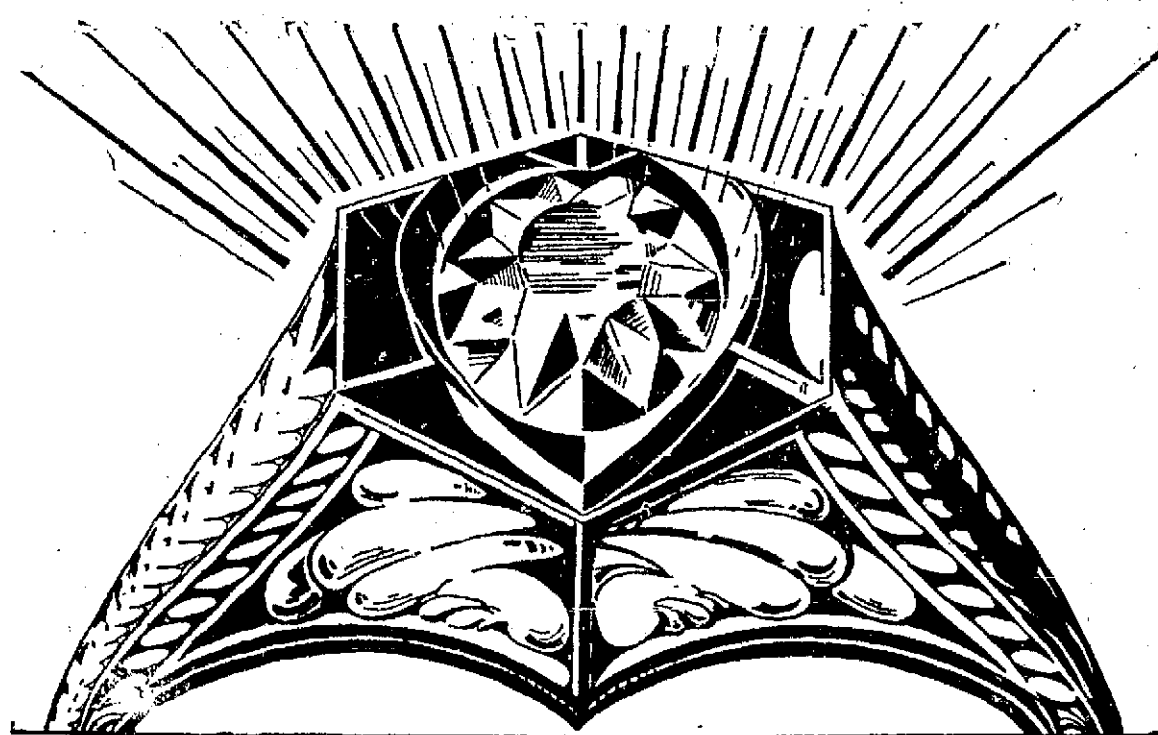


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